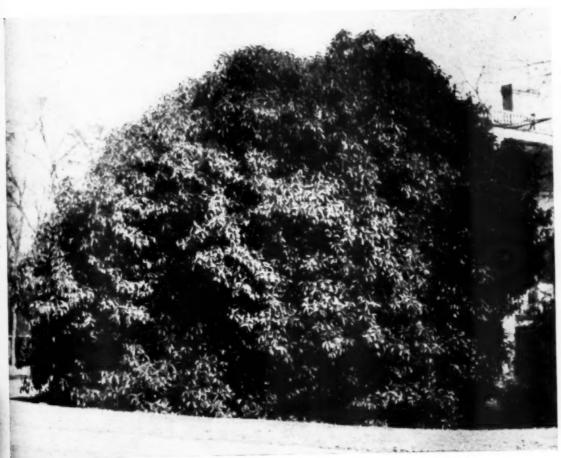
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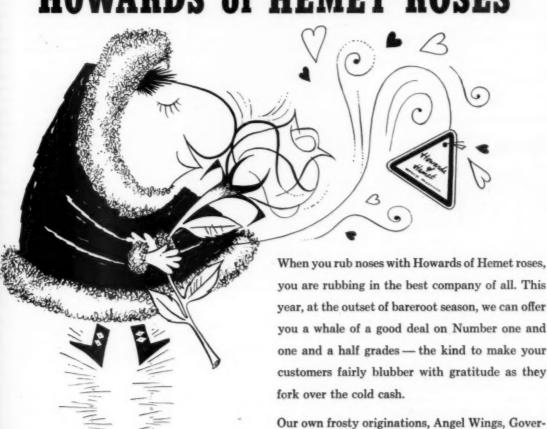
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The approach of the yuletide season, accelerating activities on every hand in preparation for the event, not only brings an atmosphere of warmth and cheer unique to this season, but also stirs the reminiscent thoughts of each of us upon the year now closing. This twelve months has brought good fortune and prosperity generally to the country, a high level of successful activity in this industry particularly and similar favor to most of us as individuals.

In consequence, a feeling of gratitude accompanies the good cheer of the season, and both move this publication's staff to extend to old friends and new acquaintances alike, who have contributed to the record of its progress and the enjoyment involved in its accomplishment, all good wishes for a Merry Christmas!

TRENDS CHANGE

While the garden center has achieved an important place in the nursery industry—and will retain it—sometimes it has been debated whether undue emphasis was not placed upon this form of enterprise when it was new in some parts of the country and gained prominence as the home-building boom expanded. Certainly the garden centers quickly filled the needs of the homeowners in new subdivisions, and they will continue to aid in the maintenance of the plantings begun there.

At times, garden centers were talked of as being competition for the landscape segment of the industry and as successors to some of the firms in that branch. But, as a matter of fact, the landscape nurserymen have not lacked for business in the past decade; in fact, their need has been for more trained men to expand their operations. Of late, moreover, report indicates that the landscape nurserymen may be faring

even better than some garden centers where the novelty has worn off somewhat.

Many nurserymen who combined the operations reported that the garden center department fed orders to the landscape department. Probably there have been more such instances, as well as other landscape business developed, because the new homeowners of the postwar years have grown up as gardeners. They have become more ambitious in their regard for their home grounds, as well as more knowledgeable, and their plans have progressed beyond the do-it-yourself stage.

Moreover, the increasing prosperity of the lower and middle-income groups has increased their ability to pay for services. The effect of the publicity carried on by the national association, as well as other organizations, has had no little effect, combined with the spreading interest in gardening, to be noted in all types of publications—newspapers, magazines and books.

Then the type of homes has changed somewhat as prosperity has spread. The proportion of cheap homes appears less and, of course, the average cost has risen. This is due not only to the cost of materials and labor, but also to the comparative scarcity of mortgage money of late. Current homes are likely to be sold to owners who are more mature, have better taste and desire more things, and can pay for them. The head of a prominent eastern landscape firm expresses optimism about the arrival of the day when the landscape man is one of the first professionals called in by the new homeowner, not the last and least on the

Perhaps another straw in the wind is the report of a Texas wholesaler who, after making a round of retailers in his own and adjacent states, concluded that landscape business was faring as well as or better than ever, while the cash-and-carry business did not everywhere show the same vigor, though in some places it likewise prospered.

Pursuing these reflections, one wonders if the novel prosperity of garden centers did not attract too many operators who knew too little about the nursery business. The result was emphasis on the moving of merchandise on a cash-and-carry basis in price and policy, rather than on a service basis. Some garden centers turned into glorified hardware

stores or part-time florists, it appeared. The incentive to customers to come back to the garden center—superior service and stock, informed personnel and interest in plants and gardens as such—were not developed or maintained in these cases.

Possibly operators of stores of this type are those who complain about the inroads of supermarkets, gas stations, department stores and discount firms that sell nursery stock in season. The latter, or at least most of them, sell stock only on a cutprice basis and sometimes at a loss, to attract customers by what is known as loss-leaders. Few of them serve the interests of the satisfied customers who are the source of the more lucrative repeat orders that true nurserymen desire.

As has been pointed out before on this page, the retail nurseryman must aim his promotion and other attempts to secure business, indeed his entire policy, at the class of buyers who merit his attention. When one is diverted by an attempt to compete in the other industry's field, or play the other fellow's game, one is almost sure to lose. Any long-time nurseryman knows that there are some changes in the styles in plants, as in other fields, though perhaps on a longer-term basis. He should be aware that there are changes in business trends which call for adjustment in one's type of operations, adjustments which follow, yet further the growth of the industry.

PROPERTY TAXES

Supplementing the comments on attempts to assess growing nursery stock for personal property taxation, on this page in the preceding issue, the policy statements of the American Association of Nurserymen, just received by members in revised form, may be quoted with respect to the item relating to taxation, which was amended by the board of governors in July of this year. The statement now reads:

"It shall be the policy of the American Association of Nurserymen, Inc., to oppose all attempts that may be made to levy taxes on growing nursery stock, by any federal taxing authority, and to assist, upon request, in all possible ways not inconsistent with other policies, any state association or individual member of the trade confronted with an attempt to tax growing nursery stock."

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Little-Used Small Trees for the South

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To supplement a previous article of mine on ornamental small trees for the south published in this magazine, the following notes are given to cover other trees that could or should be used, but have been over-

looked in the past.

Common cherry laurel (Prunus caroliniana) is a native tree of the south and has been used extensively in cultivation as a sheared plant for hedges, for screening purposes and for foundation plantings. I believe, however, the best use for this beautiful plant is as an individual specimen and as a small tree, since it attains a height of 20 to 30 feet and has a dense, round head. Unfortunately, there are few nurserymen who are growing cherry laurel pruned as a standard tree; however, there are those who feel that there would be greater use for it in this manner than held back as a foundation plant. The attractive evergreen foliage, usually two to three inches in length, is glossy, dark green. The small white flowers that appear in the early spring are showy and are followed by blue-black, inconspicuous, cherrylike fruit.

Cherry laurel is not subject to any common pests or diseases and is adaptable to a wide range of soils and conditions. It also does well under partial shade. In its northernmost range, it is occasionally subject to snow and ice damage. I have seen this damage occur in the Knoxville, Tenn., area and areas north of there, where snow may be a problem, but generally in the south the plant is not likely to be damaged and



Heavy berry cluster and large lustrous foliage of Idesia polycarpa.



Quercus acuta, Japanese evergreen oak, increasing in southern popularity.

proves to be a desirable tree. It is unfortunate that most of the cherry laurel trees seen in the south started out as sheared specimens and then, through neglect, grew into tree

Other Prunus Species

Two other species of evergreen prunus should be mentioned in this discussion. First is the common, or English, cherry laurel (listed both as P. laurocerasus and P. officinalis). noted for its large, glossy, green leaves. This species has several varieties based on leaf sizes, one being the laurocerasus schipkaensis, which has a smaller leaf than the common cherry laurel and is generally more compact in form. English cherry laurel is seen usually growing to heights of 20 feet or more and also should be used more often as a small tree, rather than confined to hedge or screen use.

Portuguese laurel (P. lusitanica) another worthwhile tree, has small leaves, usually three inches in length, but will grow even taller than the English laurel. It is slow in its rate of growth and few large mature trees in this species are seen. Both of these species bear white flowers, followed by inconspicuous, blue-black, cherrylike fruit in the fall. Only on large estates and home grounds does one generally find either of these two trees. I feel that if they were regarded as small street trees they would have wider use. Both of these species are susceptible to blight, however, and this would

be a disadvantage in some areas of the south.

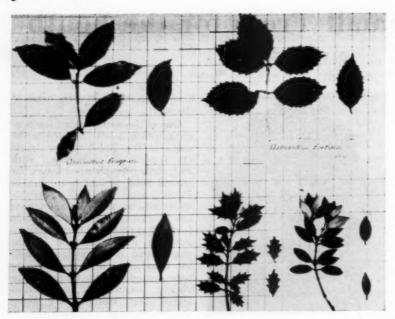
One of the several dwarf forms of the common laurel also used in the south is the Zabel cherry laurel (P. laurocerasus zabeliana), with long, linear, strap-shaped leaves. Its growth habit is similar to that of Pfitzer juniper. It makes a desirable facing tree for large plantings, or it can be used satisfactorily in a home foundation planting. There is a considerable name variation in the plants listed as Prunus laurocerasus zabeliana, and I think there may be some confusion in the trade with the variety angustifolia or narrow-leaved cherry laurel. I have known P. laurocerasus zabeliana to be hardy in some sections of Ohio, but it is seen more commonly throughout the south.

Osmanthus Species

Another interesting group of plants found in the south is osmanthus. The devilwood (O. americanus), native throughout the south, is an attractive evergreen tree with linear foliage that is often three to four inches in length. In its native habitat, the plant normally is found in moist places along streams and in lowland areas. It does well when transplanted under most soil conditions and is relatively free from insect damage and diseases. As with most osmanthus plants, it has fragrant, white flowers borne through the winter and followed by blue fruit, which is not conspicuous in the



Idesia polycarpa, seldom seen in the south, merits greater use.



Foliage of four osmanthus species found in the south: Top, left, O. fragrans, sweet osmanthus; right, O. fortunei, Fortune's osmanthus; bottom, left, O. americanus, devilwood osmanthus and, right, O. ilicifolius, holly osmanthus.

spring. There is considerable variation in devilwood, as it is found under native conditions. The trees are handsome and have a wide variation in leaf form and growth habit. The plant sometimes should be selected and propagated, but propagation from cuttings is somewhat difficult; so most plants generally are grown from seeds. This is another plant that is not regarded as a desirable landscape plant, primarily because of its large size; however, rather than appearing in a foundation group, it should, I feel, be used as a border tree or as a specimen tree, so that one can really appreciate its full

There are several other tea olives, or osmanthus species, hardy in the south, that generally are not considered small trees, but more often are thought of as large shrubs. One of the favorite trees in the lower south is the sweet osmanthus (O. fragrans), which has been prominent in southern gardens for many years. Old specimens of the plant with picturesque trunks and branch habits can be found. It is a medium-size evergreen plant with leaves three inches in size or larger. The plant is primarily noted for its attractive white, fragrant flowers that appear in the fall and early winter. This plant is not normally considered hardy north of Atlanta, Ga., but it is used often as a conservatory plant or in greenhouse foliage work because of its attractive appearance. There is an orange-flowered form of

sweet osmanthus, variety aureus, also found in the south, which in flower is even more showy than the common form. The orange flowers are somewhat larger and, in contrast to the dark green foliage, show up well.

Osmanthus Ilicifolius

Holly osmanthus (O. ilicifolius) is hardier than sweet osmanthus and is a handsome evergreen, with dark green foliage that is similar to the foliage of holly except that the leaves are opposite or subopposite, while holly leaves are borne alternately on a stem. This condition is true of all osmanthus plants, and, while they are oftentimes called holly plants because of their leaf shape, the plants easily can be recognized by examining the position of the leaf on the stem. Holly osmanthus is an excellent ornamental shrub and can be grown as a small tree up to 18 to 20 feet in height. It does well in sun and partial shade and under average soil conditions. As does the sweet osmanthus, it blooms in the fall with fragrant flowers.

Another plant of the species that is known as Fortune's osmanthus is a hybrid between O. ilicifolius and O. fragrans. It is somewhat hardier than the sweet osmanthus, but it is not nearly so hardy as the holly osmanthus. The leaves of this hybrid species are medium green and have numerous spines around the margin. The leaves are intermediate between the two species in size and average

two to three inches in length. The plant is dense and compact in its form and may reach a height of 15 feet or more. This plant is used more often in foundation plantings and as a specimen plant and might also be used as a small tree. It can add a great deal of interest during the fall and winter months with its fragrant, white flowers.

Chinese Tallow Tree Popular

Another tree that is gaining in popularity in the south is the Chinese tallow tree (Sapium sebifer. um). The tree is often thought of as being related to the poplar, for the leaf is similar to that of the poplar in outline and is a lustrous green during the summer. The outstanding characteristic of the foliage is the attractive deep orange to orange-red foliage color in the fall. It is relatively fast in its rate of growth, reaching a height of 40 feet, and the form is somewhat open and irregular. The tree is relatively free of insect and disease pests and is adaptable to a wide range of soil condi.

The fruiting habit of this tree is interesting and ornamental. The white seeds are borne in a capsule, and after the capsule dries and opens, the white seeds remain inside the capsule for several months before dropping. They are quite effective as a contrast to the colorful foliage and again after the deciduous foliage has dropped, since the fruit persists for some time. The seeds are covered with a waxy substance used by the Chinese for making candles and soap.

A tree seldom seen in the south is Idesia polycarpa. It has no other generally accepted common name. The tree grows to 40 feet and has handsome, large foliage and attractive orange berries. The large, lustrous, deciduous leaves, often reaching five to 10 inches in length, are borne on relatively long, red petioles. This tree, with its smooth, grayish-white bark and its spreading branches forming a round head, is an attractive sight. The greenish-yellow flowers generally are not too conspicuous, but the large, orange-red berries are showy in the fall and are borne in long pendulous raceme clusters, often 10 to 12 inches in length. This heavy-fruited mass is striking in the fall. The tree grows readily from seeds, and there seems to be no difficulty in soil types; furthermore, from writers' indications, I should even believe the tree to be somewhat drought tolerant, which would make it favorable for wide use in the south.

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Retail Reports Show Gains, Losses

Promotional Efforts, Adverse Weather Conditions Are Important Factors

Reports on their fall trade received from retailers about the country in time for this issue of the American Nurseryman include several definitely favorable comments and a few that suggest less favorable experience for one or more possible reasons. The states across the northern fringe of the south, along with Florida, cite good gains; Ohio turns in the best of the northern reports, while on the west coast, a 20 per cent gain is told for the Bay area. Last year's figures are probably well retained over all.

It is apparent that promotional work played an important part in the areas where gains are mentioned. The fall percentage of the annual total volume of the trade seems to be continuing its climb. Yet adverse summer growing conditions have their effect in deterring homeowners' planting enthusiasm, it is gathered. Dry summer weather hampered digging operations in several districts, and early freezing stopped work abruptly in some northern localities. The fall season might be considered of fairly short duration this year. Yet the potentials of the season's work are clearly felt by nurserymen, chiefly as relief for the strenuous spring rush. Advances in landscape work up to 100 per cent are cited. Pennsylvania and Illinois reports

tell of definitely adverse effects of

the steel strike in the attitude of po-

tential buyers. But in other areas better grades of plants were desired and there was little price hesitancy. Less is said of sales of hard goods this fall, planting seeming to form the bulk of the activity. Spring bookings are consistently reported heavy, partly because of incompleted work this fall. Some slowness of collections is referred to in the records. Delivery costs pose an increased problem.

New York Season Unfavorable

L. S. MacRobbie, Oak Park Nurseries, Inc., East Patchogue, L. I., N. Y., reports unsatisfactory conditions in a letter dated November 27:

"Our fall sales through November 15 are just about equal to those of 1958, but shipments are off about 44 per cent. Lack of rain during September created a serious digging problem; we could do no appreciable amount of digging until almost the middle part of October. We do not expect to make up all that lost time, but we are busy at the end of November.

"This has been a season of deferred decisions on the part of landscape customers rather than sales lost to competitors. Poor summer weather had its influence on prospective landscape customers. Shade tree bids to municipalities have been far too low —so low, in fact, as to indicate panic. "All in all, so far it has not been a satisfactory season for us, but it may wind up better than it looks now."

Strike Affects Pennsylvania

The steel strike brought a poor season to retail salesyards in most areas of western Pennsylvania, but suburban development and urban redevelopment kept landscape firms busy, according to John M. Eisler, Eisler Nurseries, Butler, Pa. He writes:

"The prolonged steel strike, which meant unemployment for hundreds of thousands of men in western Pennsylvania and their loss of earning power during the fall planting scason, reflected a decrease in sales of all merchandise, including nursery stock.

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"The firms that depend on sales lots for their only source of income have been hit hard and find themselves with a great surplus of items that generally move in the fall, including Dutch bulbs, which are ordered far in advance of the selling season.

"This was true in all areas that depend on steel production, except those around a few isolated mills, such as the nonunion Armco Steel Co., Butler, Pa., that kept operating at full capacity. Our immediate area did not suffer from unemployment to any great extent.

"The firms that do landscape work have been busy this fall and

LANDSCAPING FOR REYNOLDS METALS OFFICE WINS A. A. N. AWARD



A formal reflecting pool, 100x300 feet, fronting the hollow square office building of the Reynolds Metals Co., Richmond, Va., and lined on two sides with a double row of willow oaks that can be illuminated at night is a major feature of this "Plant America" award winner in the 1960 industrial landscaping competition of the American Association of Nurserymen. The landscape architect for the project was Charles A. Gillette, Richmond, Va., who was special consultant to the architects, Skidmore, Owings and Merrill. The major planting contract was handled by Ray Gustin, Gustin Gardens, Rockville, Md. Within the square are a large magnolia tree and a group of American hollies. The brick podium on which the first-floor executive offices front and overlook the pool, hold beds of seasonal flowers and precast stone flower boxes of geraniums. A breezeway contains camellias in pots, and the parking lot, surrounded by Ilex vomitoria, has crape myrtle and Kentucky coffee tree plantings. Names of other winners were printed in the previous issue of this magazine.

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have contracts that will carry them over until next year. The construction of so many schools and the redevelopment of Pittsburgh has kept us who do landscape work going at full speed. The jobs have been well divided, and it seems that all firms are getting their just share.

"The population move into the suburbs in this area has meant a great change in our living. The towns are getting smaller and the rural areas are faced with an exploding increase in population. By the time that they get a new school finished in some areas, it is too small and they have to start new additions at once. This all means extra work for the landscape contractors.

"The weather has been good so far, and, with continued good weather, we will all be very busy this winter and again next spring."

Hot, Dry Weather at Pittsburgh

A fall season shortened by adverse weather conditions is reported by Stanley W. Leonard, Leonard & Leonard, Pittsburgh, Pa. He notes, however, encouraging signs that consumer plant knowledge is growing while resistance to higher prices is diminishing. He writes:

"Unprecedented hot and dry weather extending far into the fall this year will prevent us from filling all our fall orders by December 1. Last year, a cool, wet year, we did more fall business, because we start-

ed planting sooner.

"My fall business amounts to from one quarter to one third of my spring business. It is easier to complete, since I am not racing with advancing warm weather, which makes plants leaf out or makes yew too soft to handle. My greatest concern in the late fall is getting caught with unfinished jobs.

"It is a little early yet to say, but it looks as though business for fall, 1959, will be at least as good as that of other falls, though I know there will be a considerable carryover to spring, because of the freezing weather that comes in early December.

"As I review the past few years, I find it is much easier to get more money for shade trees. It is also easier to get more money for Japanese yew plantings. Two years ago we would figure \$10 each for a Taxus hicksi planted and guaranteed; now, one has to get a couple of dollars more.

"When a half dozen customers from different parts of your district ask for Euonymus alatus compactus and are willing to pay for large plants of it, you know many of your customers are past the grammar grades in plant knowledge."

Massachusetts Increase

Harold D. Stevenson, Harold D. Stevenson L and scape Service, Marshfield, Mass., writes as follows:

"My landscape business is private work and the amount is only that which I feel I can handle and supervise carefully. My autumn business this year was 45 per cent of the year's total. That is 5 per cent more than last year and, if my new house had not taken some of my time, it would have been more. Conditions have been favorable in this area for landscape work."

Maryland Demand Steady

Edward L. Stock, Jr., notes a waning of the do-it-yourself trend in this report of a satisfactory season at the Stock Nursery, Bethesda, Md.:

"Autumn business in the Washington, D. C., suburban area has continued to follow the spring and [Continued on page 49]

ARBORISTS AWARD TWO

Meeting in Marshall Hall, New York state school of forestry, Syracuse, N. Y., November 7, the Western New York Arborists' Association cited two men of the park system of Rochester, N. Y., for outstanding horticultural achievements. Barney Slavin, retired superintendent of the city's parks, drew special recognition for his pioneer work in the selection, propagation and use of smaller-maturing tree species and forms for embellishing city streets and limited home grounds. Jacob Gerling, now superintendent of building maintenance, was cited for his use of better adapted species for functional and



Barney Slavin



Jake Gerling

ornamental service, and particularly for his success in furthering the efforts of Mr. Slavin.

Mr. Slavin began selecting and testing trees in 1915, after starting work with the Rochester park department. He preached the fallacy of using any one genus too consistently in an area and visioned the growing conflict between street trees and utility installations. Among his many selections are his upright forms of Norway maple, American linden, black maple and elms. Rochester streets today attest his practical foresight.

Now retired after 51 years' service, Mr. Slavin leaves Durand-Eastman park as an outstanding example of park planning and planting. Most of the material used in planting this area was grown by Mr. Slavin from seeds, cuttings and scions supplied him by notable plant collectors.

Keenly aware of the pressing need for extensive applications of Mr. Slavin's methods of street embellishment and that few of the more desirable tree forms and species were generally known or available, Mr. Gerling has, for the past 20 years, devoted much time to minimizing these limiting factors. In his campaign to publicize Mr. Slavin's theories, he has given lectures at state universities, to arborists' associations, at meetings of city foresters, before landscape workers' groups and to garden clubs in many cities. He has also authored articles on the subject for leading publications within the nursery, city planning and gardening fields. Through his persistent efforts, homeowners are now offered many of the newer functional trees ideal for shade or ornamental specimens, and their production in quantity permits their use in comprehensive street tree programs.

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What? When? How Much?

Purchasing Stock for A New Retail Salesyard

By William Flemer III

On many occasions each year newcomers visit us at Princeton Nurseries, Princeton, N. J., with firm plans to enter the plant market branch of the nursery industry. Some have already had experience in this type of business, some have had a considerable background in some other part of the industry, while many more have never had nursery experience of any kind. The lastnamed inquirers are the most anxious for advice and also the most difficult to counsel.

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As conscientious wholesalers, we make careful efforts to determine whether the location they have selected for the new venture is a promising one, whether they have given thought to a sound publicity program to attract potential customers, whether the salesyard layout they have planned is adapted to convenient and economical operation, and whether they have sufficient capital and backing to carry them through the early years, which are normally lear ones.

Of all the questions we are asked, the one which occurs most frequently is "What shall I buy?", and the next most frequent one is "How much shall I buy?" These are honest and trusting questions and they deserve the most careful and truthful answers we can give.

What To Buy

Of course, it is as impossible to tell the newcomer accurately what varieties and how much of each he will sell as it is for a stockbroker to tell his clients exactly which stocks will rise in value and how far they will climb. Nevertheless, just as the broker's client is tactfully steered away from "Belle of the North Goldmine Shares" and into a list of sound, tried and proved stocks, so the beginning nurseryman can be wisely directed to start with varieties which are proved acceptable in his own area.

There are slow tides of popularity which almost imperceptibly affect the sales of individual classes of plants in a surprisingly regular cycle. There are sudden unpredictable increases in the sales of an individual plant, due perhaps to a widely read magazine article or some larger firm's intensive advertising program.

But, quite aside from these changes, it is relatively easy to suggest a considerable list of plants that will sell in a given community and to give sound advice on when to buy, where to buy and how to buy. Since this discussion refers to the region surrounding New York and Philadelphia the suggestions on what to buy will not apply to the harsher climate of Chicago, the heat of the deep south, or the mild climate of the west coast, for example.

When To Buy

For several reasons the most effective time for the plant market operator to plan and make his purchases for the two big selling seasons ahead is at the end of the summer growing season. By then the growth of the crops in the field or containers has been completed and the final quality of the product is evident for both the fall and spring seasons.

Also at this period when the big job of cultivating, trimming, weeding, staking, and other operations is completed and before the rush of fall digging has commenced, the wholesaler has ample time to devote to the "carly bird" customer, showing him what is available and discussing his plans and purchase list.

There are certain mild but definite psychological factors which favor the buyer at this time, too, for the grower has gone through a long summer stretch and, seeing full fields of prime stock, what grower does not wonder (even subconsciously), "Where will it all go?" Even the stoutest hearted among them is anxious to "get a leg over the fence" for

WINS LANDSCAPE AWARD

One of the "Plant America" award winners for 1960 in the annual industrial and institutional landscaping competition sponsored by the American Association of Nurserymen and cited in the previous issue of this magazine was the landscaping of the headquarters of the Washington Water Power Co. well situated on the outskirts of Spokane, Wash., on the Spokane river. Planned to serve not only employees, but also as a park for the city as a public relations gesture, the site layout and landscape design for this project, developed on 28 acres, were coordinated by the landscape architect, Lawrence Halprin & Associates, San Francisco, Calif., with the architects, Brooks & Walter, Spokane. Edward Balar, Spokane, was the landscape con-

Water, which is the chief source of power for the business, a private utility which owns and installs dams for electric power, serves as the theme for the gardens. These waters are carried around in runnels, in jets and in fountains, through various parts of the garden, ending up in the decorative pond pictured here, which serves as a water reservoir.



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fall and spring sales and his plant market visitor is a welcome one.

Last and most important, never again until the same period next year is the grower's assortment so complete in sizes and varieties available. The wise purchaser who reserves both fall and spring requirements at this period has his pick of the scarce varieties and sizes in greatest demand and thus secures a marked advantage over his competitors.

The second most effective time to buy is in the early spring, February if possible. At this time previous reservations for spring delivery can be readjusted on the basis of the past fall's sales experiences, where applicable, and on a clearer guess as to what the spring will require. Here, again, assortments available are still far more complete than they will be in late March, for example. Most wholesalers dig orders on a basis of first come, first served, favoring the orders which were placed farthest in advance of delivery date. An order placed at this period for delivery at that magic time in the middle of

April will be received more surely than one placed on April 1.

Also in early February, surpluses begin to become apparent, and special purchases for "leader" sales or promotional campaigns can be arranged. In any event, as in the case of the end of summer purchase, the early buyer scores over his more dilatory competitor.

Where To Buy

Except for a few specialized groups of plants that are produced in distant locations with especially favorable climate conditions, local growers are the best sources for the plant market, especially if the buyer is inexperienced. A most important reason is that the stock received will be in a stage of growth that is normal for the area in which it is to be sold. This is especially important in the case of plants like magnolias and azaleas, which enjoy their best sales when nicely in bloom.

Locally grown stock is also acclimated to local soils and climate, a minor but definitely favorable factor. Furthermore, delivery charges increase as the distance between source and customer increases, markedly so in the case of B&B or container-grown stock.

Nearby customers can advantageously arrange pickup by their own trucks and thus have the loading supervised by their own drivers and also greatly reduce transportation charges. Finally, the buyer can learn to know his supplier personally, which is a great advantage for arranging special orders, carefully meshed delivery or pickup schedules, and other favorable considerations.

What To Buy

In general, especially for new plant markets, one size of each plant carried is enough to stock. There are exceptions in the case of especially popular varieties and in more established operations with more capital to tie up. A rough guide for a new business would be to begin with the following grades for each class of plant:

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All-America Seed Selections

Snapdragons, marigolds and phlox supplied All-America Selections for 1960. Included was a new F1 hybrid snapdragon series, an extremely heat-tolerant Rocket class, available in six varieties: Red Rocket; Golden Rocket; Rose Rocket; White Rocket; Orchid Rocket, lavender, and Bronze Rocket, tangerine in color. Plants branch from the base to produce 10 or more tapering spikes with many large, well-spaced flowers open at a time. They are the first hybrids bred for long-day blooming, flowering even in the midsummer heat of the western corn belt. Three crops have been cut from the same plants before hard freezing weather. Red Rocket blooms a little earlier than the others and has distinctive reddish foliage and stems, while the foliage of the other five varieties is bright green. Each variety is an All-America Selection, and the originator's formula mixture may also be featured as an A. A. S. winner.

Another 1960 selection, Vanguard snapdragon, an F1 hybrid, is the firstdouble-flowered snapdragon to merit an All-America award. Blooming ahead of the Rocket class, Vanguard's 30-inch tapering spikes, which are base branching, have large, well-placed flowers with extra petals and petaloids. Its rose-pink flowers are enhanced by golden-yellow lips.

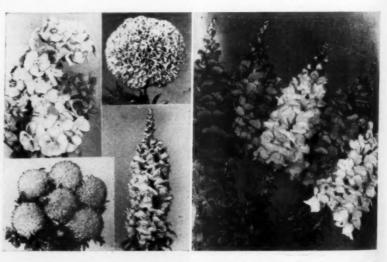
Glamour, a new tetraploid annual

phlox blooming through the summer and fall, is of mid-salmon color, shading deeper to a creamy white eye, and has flowers up to one and three-quarters inches across, borne in graceful clusters or umbels on 12-inch stems.

Toreador, one of the winning marigolds, has ruffled, full-double orange flowers and blooms more freely and earlier than the other giants of the Climax group of F1

hybrids. The 3-foot bushy plants of deep, rich green provide long-lasting cut flowers as well as a garden display in late summer and fall.

Spun Gold, another winning marigold, is an early bloomer. Growing only 10 to 12 inches tall and wide, its dwarf, compact bush is abundantly covered with chrysanthemumtype, golden-yellow flowers to three inches across. Open-pollinated, not a true hybrid, this marigold comes uniform and true, the plants being declared desirable for low borders, edgings, beds and potted plants.



All-America Selections for 1960 included (right) the Rocket series of snapdragons (six colors) and left (above) the Glamour phlox and Toreador marigold, (bottom) Spun Gold marigold and Vanguard snapdragons.

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Hollies Gain Favor As Useful Landscape Plants

By Albert S. Beecher

The use of hollies in landscape work has grown at a phenomenal rate in recent years. Many landscape nurserymen and landscape architects are using hollies extensively in the plantings around public buildings, offices, shopping centers and industrial units. Hollies are also gaining popularity in home landscaping as homeowners become better quainted with their landscape possibilities. Until recent years, the average homeowner was acquainted only with the native holly, Ilex opaca, and usually associated it more with Christmas decorations than with landscape work.

The work of the Holly Society of America in recent years has helped to acquaint nurserymen, garden editors and homeowners with hollies. Such publications as the "Handbook of Hollies," published by the American Horticultural Society in cooperation with the Holly Society of America, and the book "Hollies," by H. Harold Hume, have helped to give more detailed information about the types and culture of this plant

Popular articles in garden magazines and in the garden sections of newspapers have created more interest in the hollies. The establishment of test gardens by the Holly Society of America at some of the colleges and arboretums has made it easier for the public to observe and to evaluate some of these plants.

The women of America, through their garden clubs and home demonstration club activities, have helped immeasurably to create interest in holies. When Mrs. Jones wins a blue ribbon at the flower show with her perfect specimen of Ilex opaca Slim Jane, others take notice and decide they want this or that plant in their yard.

Versatile Group

A major factor in the growth of the popularity of this plant is the fine qualities found in the holly group. There are many varieties with attractive foliage or colorful fruit in varying sizes, shapes and rates of growth. As far as their landscape use is concerned, there are hollies suitable for hedges, barriers and screens; foundation planting; ground covers; shade, and specimen or accent plants.

Hollies may also be used in topiary work to furnish a decorative garden feature. In short, hollies fit well into the palette of plants available for landscaping the small home, public building, park or roadside.

The use of hollies in American gardens is not a recent development. Some forms have been available since colonial times when the early settlers found such plants as American holly (Ilex opaca), Yaupon holly (Ilex vomitoria) and Dahoon holly (Ilex cassine). The gardens of Mount Vernon and Colonial Williamsburg are evidence to the early popularity of these native hollies.

From the colonial period until recent years, no great use was made of hollies in landscape work. Many exotic species of hollies were introduced and were little known except to scattered small groups of horticulturists, plant collectors, nurserymen and arboretum directors. Now a resurgence of interest in hollies has developed.

Hollies Readily Available

Hollies are now readily available in many chain stores, department stores and in nursery and garden centers. This is the age of "Charge it" and "Do it yourself." Does the person who carries home an Ilex cornuta or an Ilex aquifolium have enough knowledge of the potential size or capabilities of some of these plants to locate them properly in the home ground development in order to create in the years to come an interesting composition?

Indiscriminate use of hollies, especially in the foundation planting, without proper thought to the principles of planting design, may produce a situation similar to the one that occured in the era of arborvitaes. These plants and other confers lost favor with the general public because most people did not realize their potentialities, and too many homes looked alike.

Planting Needs Design

Holly enthusiasts must be careful not to create in their yards a mere collection of plants lacking in an over-all design. For those who are interested in having a collection or in trying out or observing the characteristics of new hollies, the establishment of a separate planting area might be advisable.

The keynote to successful landscaping is good design. If full benefit is to be derived from these beautiful hollies in landscape work, they must be skillfully blended into a pleasing composition. In the discussion of design that follows, I shall limit my comments to the use of hollies in the living area, in foundation plantings and in larger-scale projects. Let us first consider hollies in the outdoor living area.

When I speak of an outdoor living area, I am not only thinking of that portion of the yard that is set aside for outdoor entertainment, family relaxation, outdoor eating and recreation, but I am also thinking of the area that is visible from the living room or dining room and that pro-



Hollies, in Various Forms, Predominate in This Industrial Landscape

An address, "Holly in the Landscape," presented by Albert S. Beecher, extension landscape specialist, Virginia Polytechnic lastitute extension service, Blacksburg, at a meeting of the Holly Society of America held at Richmond, Va.

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vides year-round aesthetic enjoyment.

The outdoor living area should be considered as an extension of the indoor living space. Many modern homes, with their predominance of glass, offer excellent opportunities for the architect and landscape architect to blend these areas together. One can often develop a better transition from the indoor to the outdoor

living area of an older home by adding a door to the living room or dining room that will permit easy access to the outdoor living area from the house.

Consider Family Needs

Before the landscape architect or landscape nurseryman can prepare a plan, decisions have to made by the [Continued on page 87]

Christmas Hobby Shop Proves Garden Center Profit Builder

By Richard B. Kilner

For the past four years the Mc-Donnell Nursery, Walnut Creek, Calif., has converted its garden store into a Christmas hobby shop during the fall months. The original intent was just to bring some gift and decorating items in briefly before Christmas to attract customers when things were ordinarily slow in the nursery. Year by year, however, the firm has expanded this project, because of the customers' interest. This year the hobby shop was opened the first part of October, because women wanted to get materials early to work on arrangements for Thanksgiving as well as other fall occasions when such decorations would be appropriate.

During the first month of this promotion, the emphasis is on artificial fruits and dry materials. By Thanksgiving, the emphasis and most of the space are devoted to

Christmas items.

A typical advertisement in the local newspapers will read, "Mc-Donnell's Christmas hobby shop now has its usual large selection of dry materials, artificial fruits, Christmas ornaments, Styrofoam, personally selected by Kathryn Smith." Kathryn Smith is usually in the store all day. She answers customers' questions, gives them ideas and demonstrates how to make arrangements. As she completes arrangements, these are placed around the store, and sometimes the customer will want to buy an arrangement or find out how it was made, buy the materials and make one like it herself.

Take Half Store Space

More than half of the garden store is devoted to the special items brought in specifically for the seasonal promotion. In the remaining area are those house plants, planters and gift items which are carried the year around, but are highly appropriate at this time of the year. The seasonal materials are displayed in the area usually occupied by packaged goods and garden supplies.

All the shelves around the walls that ordinarily carry fertilizers, insecticides, etc., are now filled with ornaments and other decorative items. The display tables, featuring the arrangements and decorating materials, have replaced the movable gondolas, which were used for the garden supplies and special displays. In McDonnell's ultra-modern. new garden center, which has been occupied for less than a year, it was possible to move the gondolas out of the garden shop under a Fiberglas-covered display area that is actually a part of the nursery. This has worked out so well that the firm is considering leaving the garden supply items outdoors permanently. From almost every standpoint the plan has worked well thus far, but the winter rains and accompanying dampness will probably give a final answer to the feasibility of this

Due to the success of the hobby shop in attracting customers to the nursery during the months at the end of the year, McDonnell's is planning to expand the use of the garden store during other months of the year. For instance, after Christmas decorations and ornaments go, there will be a concentration on house plants, planters and related items. Later there may be a move into other decorative and giftware items that customers might logically purchase in such a store.



A section of the McDonnell garden shop featuring artificial fruit and fall arrangements before Thanksgiving.



Christmas ornaments at left, dried materials in center aisle attract customers who like to make their own festive holiday arrangements. In the background are giftwares and planters featured the year around.

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County Agents Discuss Nursery Merchandising

By Robin Todd

At their recent meeting the southeastern district county agents of New York state discussed merchandising at White Plains, N. Y. They saw and discussed informally the mass merchandising methods, which is a relatively new conception of horticultural merchandising, and they compared it to the traditional nursery operations at a typical roadside stand.

The typical nursery operation used as an example was that of Rosedale Nurseries, Inc., Hawthorne, N. Y. Here Douglas E. Bean, landscape architect, showed operations from the landscaping department through and including the nursery center. This established nursery is meeting the competition in sales of nursery stock with a well-run garden center. The procedure is a demonstration of the changes that must be made to keep such an operation successful. The center is well laid out, the nursery stock was well labeled and marked, and part of the display stock was enclosed in a lath house. Most of the materials were in containers, although some were merely balled and burlapped.

Offering Service Important

The traditional nurseries can successfully meet competition by offering services and by developing their own personalities, it was advised. One method is for nurserymen to know the products sold and how they will react under local conditions, following up their application with a visit, especially if herbicides have been sold and complicated directions for procedures are necessary for a successful operation. Quite frequently the nurseryman can point out errors made by homeowners if the procedures have not been working satisfactorily. Other services can be offered, such as deliveries, and as at Rosedale's, other departments, such as landscaping, etc.

It would appear that the traditional nurserymen are becoming specialists, in that they are usually selling the bigger nursery stock, or the unusual, and always the quality materials. In addition, they often know the best forms of local advertising, such as in weekly newspapers vs. direct-mail advertising. Usually the direct-mail procedures are best for small centers that have a selective customer appeal, but they must capitalize on this, as it will soon be copied by aggressive managers of mass nursery outlets.

Even a small roadside nursery operation was viewed at this meeting The owner's primary income is from landscaping, although he operates the stand as a sideline. Such operations are best if they imitate established nurseries and develop various services. Usually these operators lack managerial experience and, more important, capital. There is a rapid turnover of small centers. Most of these small operations fail, or the owner gives up this phase and concentrates entirely on landscaping or some other aspect of nursery work. However, a few hang on and develop into successful traditional nursery operations.

Non-Trade Outlets

A new mass outlet in Westchester county visited by the agents was S. Klein, or Klein's-on-the-Square. This establishment was thought to be typical of the department stores in metropolitan areas which are selling nursery stock, as well as discount houses and other mass outlets. Such outlets usually have a definite merchandising policy. Usually they sell nursery stock at lower rates than tra-



Garden center of Rosedale Nurseries, Inc., Hawthorne, in Westchester county, New York.



S. Klein, On-the-Square, White Plains, N. Y., an example of mass merchandising.

ditional nursery operations and perhaps can do so because of the volume that they sell.

At Klein's, a large greenhouse 60x200 feet, plus a large nursery center sales lot, is equipped for outdoor trade. The customers have the use of supermarket carts, which they can use both outdoors and indoors to pick up many inexpensive garden plants and garden supply items. Large signs indicate each type of plant, and each of these signs tells a story, gives the price and sells.

Managers of mass outlets usually make wonderful displays en masse, showing prices. They are usually colorful and keyed to sales at specific times. Such leaders get a large amount of traffic through the nursery center. Usually the managers are not horticulturists, but merchandisers, and everything is sold at a profit or as a come-on.

Usually, also, one important point that is adhered to is to feature nursery stock in keeping with the season. Seasonal sales are stressed. Usually tie-ins are built around the leaders, such as fertilizers, tools, insecticides, fungicides and herbicides, which all tie in together. The whole theme seems to be to tell a story and then sell an idea, and the customer usually buys two or three items.

GIVEN recently to the Plattsburgh Air Force Base, N. Y., by A. Judson Evans, Wyoming Valley Nursery, Wyoming, Pa., was a 14year-old specimen Franklinia alatamaha. The rare native American tree was planted to commemorate completion of the Capehart-Rains housing project at the base, for which the Wyoming Valley Nursery was landscape contractor.

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Illustration A—The Korean boxwood when a neat, cushionlike form is desired.





Illustration B—The Gregory form of Norway spruce adds an effective, unusual touch to the landscape.

Tips for Better Landscapes

Cushion and Mushroom Plant Forms

By Clarence E. Lewis

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There are many forms of plants that find their way into the landscape, sometimes improving it to a certain degree, while at other times they do just the reverse.

Certain forms are difficult to use, particularly those which are round and dense, but some of them are quite interesting and can be used, despite their fullness, in other ways than as hedges.

The cushion and mushroom forms can complement an area or be fittingly combined with the surroundings; although they vary considerably in their texture, depth of green and over-all appeal, they should not be regularly nor symmetrically arranged. Plants of cushion form vary from those of mushroom form in that the former are flush with the ground, while the mushrounding plants grow on short stems or standards.

Some examples of varying tex-



Illustration C—This mushroomlike form is often seen in the dwarf white pine. Other plants may be trained to a similar shape. tures in cushion forms include the dwarf Japanese hollies that have distinct leaves and a fine texture, such as Ilex crenata Green Cushion and Ilex crenata Kingsville. In contrast one might obtain a coarser texture in this form by pruning the large-leaved winter creeper, Euonymus fortunei vegetus, forcing it into a compact, cushionlike growth, although it may be necessary, in time, to allow it to grow bigger each year.

A further variance of texture can be obtained by using the Snowflake candytuft, Iberis sempervirens Snowflake, as well as the nest spruce, Picea abies Nidiformis, or clipped forms of dwarf and dense Japanese yews, Taxus cuspidata nana and T. cuspidata densa.

The plant cushions can be used to advantage if they are grouped not with competitive plants but with entirely different material, such as small stones, possibly colored concrete; redwood walks and backgrounds, or perhaps even wood chips. Odd numbers of plants should be used, spaced at diffierent distances from one another. This type of plant and placement should be used in a landscape for the individual who has an imagination and in locations that are not routine in style.

There are many shrubs of this type that can be used. Of the Japanese holly group, the following might be selected: Heller holly, Ilex crenata Helleri; Stokes holly, Ilex crenata Stokesi, and Hetz holly, Ilex

crenata Hetzi. Although the lastnamed plant would require cutting, its coarser texture is sometimes useful.

The boxwood group, of course, might well compete with the hollies mentioned, or be grouped with them. A Korean boxwood as shown in illustration A could be used, or others such as Buxus microphylla Compacta and Buxus microphylla Green Pillow.

The Gregory spruce, Picea abies Gregoryana, is an unusual cushion but certainly usable, as can be seen in illustration B. It seems to billow up on itself and provides a pleasing

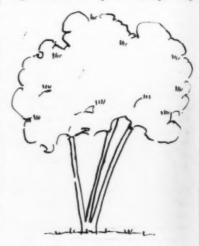


Illustration D—The high mushroom, or umbrella, form may be observed in Pinus densiflora Umbraculifera.

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Illustration E-The Globe red cedar is an unusual plant but one that is not easily obtainable in the trade.



Illustration F-1 Weeping red cedar can be used to create an interesting contrast with the globe form.

contrast with some of the other less billowy types. When using such spruces as the Gregory or nest spruce, one must always watch for strong shoots and cut them out as soon as they appear. There is a tendency for these forms to revert to the growth more typical of the species. The same is true of other slow-growing plants, and the Albert spruce is no exception.

Some cushion plants can become much larger than those mentioned, among them pruned specimens of northern bayberry, Myrica Pensylvanica, and perhaps disbudded or pruned plants of star magnolia.

Mushroom Forms

The so-called mushroom shapes with short stems might be used with concrete forms or smooth stone features. I have in mind some dwarf white pines; illustration C indicates how these pines appeared, and one can visualize how they might improve a landscape. Sometimes this same mushroom growth is bigger and is typified by the umbrellalike form found in Pinus densiflora Umbraculifera. Illustration D gives an idea of the form to which I am referring. The star magnolia could be elevated easily from a cushion to an umbrella,

as might be done with other shrubs.

Some may argue that these plants are too stiff, but with dwarf white pine the stiffness is offset by its soft but needlelike texture. Some of the stiffness is also determined by the surroundings. Ground covers will loosen the effect, as will combination with colors found in nearby stone, concrete or wood. Cushion and mushroom-form plants are excellent when used together.

Strong contrasts can be created by using the globe form of red cedar, Juniperus virginiana Globosa, together with its weeping form, Juniperus virginiana Pendula. The globe and weeping forms of this plant can be seen in illustrations E and F, respectively. They provide a different color and texture than the globe forms of arborvitae and the weeping hemlock, shown in illustration G. The weeping and globe forms of red cedar require more sunlight than yews and hemlock, if they are to retain the intended shape over a period of 10 years or more. A minimum of six hours of sunlight a day is necessary, as well as a good circulation of air, the latter being often more important than sunlight.

The procumbent or trailing form of Norway spruce, Picea abies Pro-

cumbens, differs from any of the other forms mentioned. Studying this plant in illustration H, one may have not only different reactions, but they may be favorable in some cases and unfavorable in others. The form of this tree is not easily adjusted to its surroundings, but it can make the landscape more interesting.

This unusual plant combines well with wooden structures, like walks and fences that have a rustic appearance. The wood often looks better if left natural or if it is preserved with materials that do not greatly change its appearance. This tumbling evergreen also looks well with flat-growing ground covers, textured concrete, used brick or perhaps small stones. Such upright-stemmed flowers as tulips and lilies, however, should not be combined with the weeping or tumbling forms of this evergreen.

Many interesting landscapes can be created by combining unusual plants or adding to them a walk, pool, wall or just an odd-shaped piece of concrete. A series of steps, a change in grade or part of an old stump can add further interest to the landscape. One does not always know what will work until the

plan is tried.



Illustration G-The distinctive weeping hemlock provides a texture and grace that are found in few plants.



Illustration H-The tumbling form of Picea abies Procumbens is not just a curiosity; it is a useful landscape plant.

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Osmanthus Fragrans

Osmanthus fragrans is an attractive species, noted for its delightful fragrance. Unfortunately, Osmanthus fragrans is less hardy than Os. manthus americanus and Osmanthus ilicifolius, but is commonly used in the lower south. Occasionally it is used in northern areas as a tub plant in greenhouses or conservatories.

Osmanthus fragrans is a broad, round-headed, large shrub or small tree, attaining a height up to 30 feet. The evergreen leaves are elliptic to oblong-lanceolate, three to four inches in length. The leaves are entire or with sharp, fine teeth. Osmanthus is often confused with holly, but the leaves are borne opposite on the stems, while holly foliage is alternate. The small, white flowers appear in the fall, continuing during warm spells, often until spring, in clusters on slender pedicles. The fragrance is a delight of southern gardens and should be used where one can appreciate the delightful perfume. The bluish-black, drupelike fruit appears in the spring.

The sweet osmanthus is best used as a specimen plant or as a foundation plant for large buildings because of its large size. It prefers good soil, but will do well under average conditions in sun or shade.

The cover pictures a beautiful old specimen at Columbus, Ga., 75 years or more old, 25 feet high and 30 to 35 feet across. F. G.

SEEK HOLLY INFORMATION

Harry W. Dengler, a trustee and former secretary of the Holly Society of America, announces that a complete revision of the society's "Handbook of Hollies" is under way and that any corrections, comments or items worthy of inclusion will be most welcome.

According to Mr. Dengler, information on the hardiness of hollies is particularly desired - especially from areas where the plants are not considered adaptable. Professionalquality photographs of hollies used for various landscape purposes are also sought. Any such material should be sent to Harry W. Dengler, Horticulture building, University of Maryland, College Park, Md.

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January 4 to 6—Western Association of Nurserymen, annual convention, Hotel Bellerive, Kansas City, Mo.

January 4 to 6—Virginia nurserymen's short course, sponsored by Virginia Polytechnic Institute and Northern Virginia Nurserymen's Association, Fairfax, Va.

January 4 to 6—Indiana Association of Nurserymen, winter meeting, Purdue Memorial Union, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Ind.

January 5 to 7—Eastern Regional Nurserymen's Association, Inc., annual winter meeting, Statler-Hilton hotel, New York, N. Y.

January 6 to 8—Indiana Arborists Association, winter meeting, Purdue Memorial Union, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Ind.

January 7 to 9—Iowa Nurserymen's Association, annual convention, Sheraton-Montrose hotel, Cedar Rapids, Ia.

January 10—National Landscape Nunerymen's Association, annual meeting, Hotel La Salle, Chicago, Ill.

January 11—National Mail Order Nurserymen's Association, winter meeting, Hotel La Salle, Chicago, Ill.

January 11 to 13—Illinois State Nunerymen's Association, annual convention, Hotel La Salle, Chicago, Ill.

January 12 and 13—Maryland Nunerymen's Association, annual meeting, Southern hotel, Baltimore, Md.

January 13—Massachusetts Nurserymen's Association, annual meeting, Kenmore hotel, Boston, Mass.

January 14 and 15—Kansas Arborist Association, state shade tree conference, Umberger Hall, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kan.

January 17 to 19—Virginia Nurserymen's Association, annual convention, John Marshall hotel, Richmond, Va.

January 17 to 19—New York State Arborists Association, meeting and school, Gramatan hotel, Bronxville, N. Y.

January 18 and 19—Ontario Nurserymen's Association, Seaway hotel, Toronto, Ont., Canada.

January 18 to 21—Ohio Nurserymen's Association, winter meeting and short course, Neil House, Columbus, O.

January 19 to 21—Washington State Nurserymen's Association, winter convention, Olympic hotel, Seattle, Wash.

January 20 to 22—Connecticut Nunerymen's Association, short course, University of Connecticut, Storrs.

January 21—Northeastern New York Nurserymen's Association, winter meeting, Ashgrove Inn, Saratoga Spa, N. Y.

January 21 and 22—Western New York Nurserymen's Association, annual convention, Sheraton hotel, Rochester, N. Y.

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January 25 to 27—Kentucky Nursery-men's Association, winter meeting, La-fayette hotel, Lexington, Ky.

January 26—Delaware nurserymen's short course, Agricultural Hall auditorium, University of Delaware, Newark,

January 26 to 28—Michigan Associa-tion of Nurserymen, annual winter meet-ing, Statler-Hilton hotel, Detroit, Mich.

January 28 and 29-Oregon Association of Nurserymen, winter meeting, Hotel Eugene, Eugene, Ore.

January 31 to February 2—National Arborist Association, winter meeting, Hotel La Salle, Chicago, Ill.

January 31 to February 2-Tennessee Nurserymen's Association, winter meeting, Hermitage hotel, Nashville, Tenn.

February 2 and 3-Oregon Nurserymen's Association, short course, Oregon State College, Corvallis, Ore.

February 2 to 4—New England Nurs-erymen's Association, annual meeting, Kenmore hotel, Boston, Mass.

February 8 and 9-Colorado Nurserymea's Association, short course, Student Union Annex, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, Colo.

February 8 and 9-Idaho Association of Nurserymen, annual convention and garden school, Basque Center, Boise, Ida.

February 9-Lake County Nurserymen's Association, annual winter school for nurserymen, Hellriegel's Inn, Paines-

February 10 to 12—Midwestern chapter, National Shade Tree Conference, Omaha, Neb.

February 11 and 12—Pennsylvania Nurserymen's Association, annual meet-ing, Warwick hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.

February 17-Rhode Island Nurserymen's Association, annual convention, Johnson's Hummocks Grille, Providence,

February 18-Maryland Nurserymen's Association, annual short course, University of Maryland, College Park, Md.

February 18 and 19—Massachusetts Nurserymen's Association, short course, Waltham field station of the University of Massachusetts, Waltham, Mass.

February 22 to 24-Southern chapter, National Shade Tree Conference, Atlanta, Ga.

February 23 to 25 — Conference for remsylvania nurserymen, Pennsylvania state University, University Park, Pa.

February 28 to March 2—Canadian Association of Nurserymen, annual convention, King Edward hotel, Toronto, Ont., Canada.

ILLINOIS PROGRAM

Among the high points of the 44th annual convention and trade show of the Illinois State Nurserymen's Association, to be held January 11 to 13 at the Hotel La Salle, Chicago, III., will be a Tuesday afternoon, January 12, session devoted to a talk and panel discussion on the problem of the Japanese beetle in Illinois and other midwestern states.

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each of the ladies attending Wednesday night's banquet, and a special ladies 'program arranged for the con. vention includes a card party Monday afternoon and a luncheon on Wednesday, at which Martha Lohse will present a program entitled "A Trip to Europe." Regular convention sessions will be held according to the following program:

JANUARY 11

7:30 a. m.—Exhibits open. 9:30 a. m.—Registration. 12:15 p. m.—Lunch. 1:15 p. m.—Call to order.

President's address, by Henry Lohse, Dixon.

"Some P's of Professional Selling," by Frank H. Beach, Urbana.

JANUARY 12

9:30 a. m.—Business session. 11 a. m.— Annual meeting, Illinois chapter, American Association of Nursery.

12:15 p. m.—Lunch.
"Status of the Japanese Beetle Situation in Illinois," by Stillman Stanard, director, Illinois department of agriculture. Japanese Beetle-Its Potential Threat

to Nursery Production in Illinois and Other Midwestern States," a panel discussion, with Stillman Standard, moderator, and Byron Allen, commissioner of agriculture, St. Paul, Minn.; C. A. Boyer, chief, plant industry division, Lansing, Mich.; D. N. McDowell, director of agriculture, Madison, Wis., and F. A. Soraci, director, division of plant industry, Trenton, N. J., panel members.

JANUARY 13

12:15 p. m.—Lunch.
"The A. A. N. Management Conference at Sagamore, N. Y.," by Carl Klehm, Arlington Heights.

"Legislative Outlook, 1960," by Dr. Richard P. White, executive vice-president, A. A. N.

6 p. m.—Cocktail hour. 7 p. m.—Banquet.

SCHEDULE FOR IOWA

The schedule of events for the annual convention of the Iowa Nurserymen's Association, to be hled at the Sheraton-Montrose hotel, Cedar Rapids, Ia., January 7 to 9, has been released by Earl Ferris, Hampton, secretary-treasurer. The activities include a special program for the ladies-a bus tour and visit to one of the Amana colony factories, with a lunch at the Ox Yoke Inn at Amana, and a style show Thursday evening. Other details follow:

JANUARY 7

9 a. m .- Registration, mezzanine floor. 10 a. m.—Board of directors' meeting.
1 p. m.—Call to order by President
Robert Ferguson, Robinson & Parnham,

Des Moines, Ia. Welcome, by Mayor James Meagham of Cedar Rapids.

Major committee reports. 2 p. m.—Report on the A. A. N. nursery management conference at the Sagamore conference center, by George Row, Henry Field Seed & Nursery Co., Shenan-doah, Ia.

2:30 p. m.-Slides and comments of

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3 p. m.—"A. A. N. Notes," by Valleau C. Curtis, Callicoon, N. Y., president, American Association of Nurserymen.

3:15 p. m.—News from the Washington office, by Robert F. Ledgers, A. A. N.

ton office, by Robert F. Lederer, A. A. N., legislative assistant.

3:30 p. m.—Reports by the state delegates to the Philadelphia A. A. N. convention, by Robert Tyson, Lloyd Cafferty, Lee Haynie and Lloyd Whitham.

4 p. m.-A. A. N. chapter 10 business meeting.

7:30 p. 7:30 p. m.—Nurserymen's clinic, with Neal Rohlfs, Davenport, moderator. General discussion on pricing, service charges, private labels and unfair competition. This is a closed meeting, for active members only.

JANUARY 8

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7:30 a. m.—Scheduled breakfast.
9 a. m.—"New Method of Growing Container Evergreens," by Dr. John P. Mahlstede, Iowa State University, Ames.
10:30 a. m.—"What Is the Future of Elms in Iowa?", by Dr. Harold McNabb, Iowa State University.
10:45 a. m.—"Landscaping as Part of the House," by L. Morgan Yost, Yost & Taylor, Architects, Kenilworth, Ill.
11:45 a. m.—Scheduled luncheon.
1:15 p. m.—"Trends Toward Salesyards," by Roy F. Graham, Old Orchard Gardens, Webster Grove, Mo.
2:15 p. m.—"Nematodes, Their Damage and Control," by Prof. Don C. Norton, Iowa State University.
3:15 p. m.—Annual business meeting.

-Annual business meeting. 3:15 p. m.-5 p. m.-Mount Arbor Round-Up social hour.

6:30 p. m.-Annual banquet, with introduction of guests. Speaker: "The Senator from Texas," by Harold Ward, and entertainment.

JANUARY 9

"Merchandising and Selling," 9 a. m.by Glenn McClintic.

9:30 a. m.—"News from Iowa State University," by Dr. E. S. Haber; Dr. E. L. Denisen, "Cyclone Strawberry," and Dr. Don White, "Laminate Budding and Tenant Grafting."

10:30 a. m.—"Progress on Roadside Improvement," by Harold D. Dolling, roadside improvement engineer, Iowa state highway commission, Ames. 11 a. m.—"Keep Old Red Ready," by

Fred Fernald.

11:30 a. m.—"Recent Trends in Turf Grass Management," by Dr. Eliot Rob-erts, Iowa State University. 12 noon—Adjournment.

WESTERN NURSERYMEN

Final plans for the program of the 70th annual meeting of the Western Association of Nurserymen, to be held January 4 to 6 at the Bellerive hotel, Kansas City, Mo., have been announced by James Danbury, Prairie Village, Kan., secretary of the association. Details of the program are as follows:

JANUARY 4

9 a. m.-Registration.

12 noon-Lunch.

2 p. m.-Meeting called to order; treasurer's report and appointment of committees.

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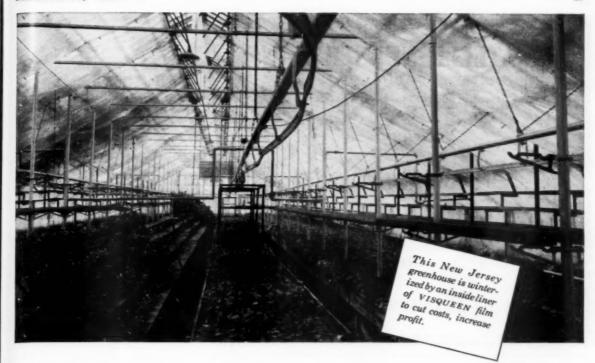
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Evening—Slides of horticultural sub-

jects shown by members.

JANUARY 5

9 a. m.-Talk, by Ray Brush, administrative assistant, American Association of Nurservmen.

Business meeting; committee reports and election of officers.

12 noon—Lunch.
2 p. m.—"Laborsaving Devices and New Procedures," by George Rose, Henry Field Seed & Nursery Co., Shenandoah,

Ia.
"Merchandising Through Garden Cen-ters," by Don West, Verhalen Nursery ters," by Don West, Verhalen Nursery Co., Dallas, Tex. Evening—Annual banquet, with enter-

JANUARY 6

9 a. m.—"Basic Technique for Home Landscaping," an A. A. N. film presenta-

"New Plant Varieties and Introductions," by Lewis F. Lipp, Holden Arboretum, Mentor, O.

NORTH CAROLINA PLANS

The tentative schedule for the 23rd annual short course of the North Carolina Association of Nurserymen, to be held at the North Carolina State College, Raleigh, January 3 to 5, has been released by Bryson L. James, horticulture specialist, N. C. S. A., as follows:

JANUARY 3

4 to 6 p. m.—Registration — Main lobby, College Union.
6 p. m.—Informal buffet dinner, College Union, with North Carolina Association of Nurserymen as host.

"North Carolina Nurserymen — Highlights of 1959"—Movie, slides and comments on state fair exhibit, summer tour and area short courses, by Dr. Bryson L. James, North Carolina State College.

Trade fair opens, College Union ball-

JANUARY 4

9 a. m. -- Opening session, College Union theater.

Invocation; welcome, by Dr. D. W. Colvard, dean, School of Agriculture, North Carolina State College, and George Coulter, Carolina Nurseries, Inc., Char-

Coulter, Carolina Nurseries, Inc., Charlotte, president, North Carolina Association of Nurserymen.
9:30 a. m.—"Nursery Management,"
by A. J. Lancaster, Coleman Nursery, Inc., Portsmouth, Va.
10:30 a. m.—"Bank-Financed Landscaping," by Harold Graves, J. Harold Graves Nursery, Burlington, N. C.
11 a. m.—"Merchandising and Looking Ahead in the Nursery Business," by William Dieckmann. John Dieckmann &

Sons, Elm Grove, W. Va.

12 Noon—"Dutch" luncheon and business meeting, College Union ballroom,

George Coulter presiding. 2:15 p. m.—"Grade Standards for Nursery Crops," by Dr. J. Newton Joiner, department of ornamental horticulture, University of Florida, Gainesville, Fla.,

College Union theater.

3:15 p. m.—A. A. N. representative's report, by W. C. Daniels.

3:30 p. m.-"Practical Cost Account-

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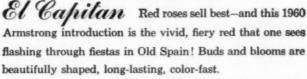
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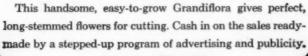












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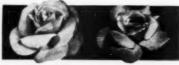


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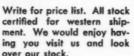
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6 p. m.-Banquet, Dr. Fred Cochran presiding. Speaker: Dr. Emol A. Fails, economics department, North Carolina State College, "Selling for a Profit."

JANUARY 5

a. m.-"Nematodes, Their Presence and Control in Ornamental Crops," by Dr. Frank Haasis and J. C. Wells, plant pathology department, North Carolina

pathology department, North Carolina State College.

10 a. m.—"Hollies," by Warren Steed, Steed's Nursery, Candor, N. C.

10:45 a. m.—"Bedding Plants," panel discussion, with Dr. J. B. Gartner, moderator; William Dieckmann; Amos Fowlers, Feel Patty, and James Matters.

er; Earl Petty, and James Melton.
11:30 a. m.—Lunch.
1 p. m.—"Container Stock," panel discussion, with Dr. T. F. Cannon, moderator; Dr. J. N. Joiner; Warren Redd, Warren Steed, and J. S. Howard.

1:45 p. m.—"On the Carpet"—ques-

tions and answers on various subjects.
Panel: All short course speakers and state college horticulture department faculty, with John Harris, moderator.

2:30 p. m.-Visit ornamental research nursery at the central crops research station, Clayton, with Robert Schramm as tour guide and moderator. 4:30 p. m.—Adjournment.

INDIANA ARBORISTS

Details of the midwinter conference and short course of the Indiana Arborist Association, to be held January 6 to 8 at the Purdue Memorial Union, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Ind., have been released by Donald L. Schuder, associate professor, department of entomology, Purdue University, secretary of the association, as follows:

JANUARY 6

1:15 p. m.—Welcome, by Dr. E. C. Stevenson, head, department of horticulture, Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind. 1:30 p. m.—"T.S.S." (a line clearing forum), with William Smith, Muncie Tree Surgery Corp., as moderator, and Vernon Townsend, Townsend Tree Service Company, and Ryland B. Smith, Superior

Company, and asymmetric Expert Co. 2:30 p. m.—"A Critical Appraisal of the Line Clearing Problem," by A. F. transmission and distribution, Indianapolis Power &

Light Co. 3:30 p. m.—"You Can't Take It with You," by Homer B. Hansel, advanced underwriting consultant, Commonwealth

Life Insurance Co., Louisville, Ky. 4:30 p. m.—Introduction of exhibitors. Evening — Horticulture week banquet, with nationally known speaker. Attendance optional.

JANUARY 7

9:30 a. m.—"Public Utilities and Highway Trees," by E. C. Eckert, chief forester, Michigan state highway department.

10:30 a. m.—"Human Relations," by

Donald L. Bowton, Dale Carnegie courses, Fort Wayne, Ind.
1:15 p. m.—"Plant Disease Identification and Control," by Dr. J. C. Carter, Illinois natural history survey, Urbana,

3:15 p. m.—"Selection of Trees for Planting," by H. W. Gilbert and N. W.

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ference speakers and Purdue University specialists will answer questions from members, who are invited to bring interesting slides.

ARBORISTS' SHORT COURSE

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9 a. m.—"Insects—Identification and Control," by Dr. D. L. Schuder, associate professor, department of entomology, Purdue University.

11 a. m.—"Safe Methods of Applying Spray Materials," by John Z. Duling Duling Tree Expert Co., Muncie, Ind.

1 p. m.—"Tree Identification—Summer and Winter," by Andrew T. Leiser, department of horticulture, Purdue University.

VIRGINIA SHORT COURSE

The third annual nurserymen's short course, sponsored by the Northern Virginia Nurserymen's Association and the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Va., will be held January 4 to 6, at the Fairfax County Courthouse, Fairfax, Va. The following topics will be discussed, according to Albert S. Beecher, associate horticulturist, Virginia Polytechnic Institute:

JANUARY 4

"Planting Design," by Albert S. Beech-

er. "Salesmanship," by O. Lindsay Clark-son, the Clarkson Agency, Tuckahoe,

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"New Varieties of Plant Material," by
Dr. J. H. Tinga, horticulturist, V.P.I. Plant identification contest.

JANUARY 5

"Weed Control," by Allen Kates, ex-tension weed specialist, V.P.I. "Operating the Garden Center," by

Arthur Lancaster, Coleman Nursery, Inc., Portsmouth, Va.

"Soil Problems in Northern Virginia," by J. E. Beard, agricultural agent, Fair-fax, Va.

fax, Va.
"Hardiness in Plants and Factors Controlling Them," by Dr. J. H. Tinga.

JANUARY 6

"The Newest Controls for Plant Diseases," by Dr. R. H. Gruenhagen, plant pathologist, V.P.I.
"Plant Identification in the Dormant

Stage," by Albert S. Beecher.

DETAILS FOR MARYLAND

Program details for the annual meeting of the Maryland Nurserymen's Association, to be held January 12 and 13 at the Southern hotel, Baltimore, Md., were recently announced by Secretary C. M. Akehurst as follows:

JANUARY 12

9 a. m.—Registration.

9:45 a. m.-Call to order. Secretary's and treasurer's reports and committee appointments.

10:10 a. m.-President's address, by Gilbert Gude, A. Gude Sons Co., Rock-

10:30 a. m .- "Retailing Problems in the Nursery Industry," by D. Murray AN ur-

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12:15 p. m.—Lunch, with guest speaker to be announced.

2 p. m.—"How Dangerous Are Pesticides to Wildlife?"—panel discussion.

3 p. m. — "Public Relations for the Nursery Industry," by James Griffin, Jr., Key Biscayne, Fla., executive secretary, Florida Nurserymen and Growers Association.

6 p. m.-Dinner. 9 p. m.-Square dance. **JANUARY 13**

9:30 a. m.—Report on American Association of Nurserymen's management

10 a. m.—"Advertising and Ethics in the Nursery Business," by James Horton, A. A. N. special counsel, Washington, D. C.

10:30 a. m.—"The Executive Secretary and State Nursery Organizations," by James Griffin, Jr.

11:30 a. m.—Trade fair. 12:15 p. m.—Banquet. Presentation of professional achievement award.

2:20 p. m.—Business meeting. Committee reports and election of officers.

CONNECTICUT HIGHLIGHTS

Erwin W. Whitham, secretary of the Connecticut Nurserymen's Association, announces that the group's annual meeting at the Waverly Inn, Cheshire, Conn., will be called to order at 9:30 Wednesday morning, December 30. The principal item on the agenda of the opening business session will be discussion of proposed changes in the association bylaws. C. N. A. scholarship awards and 4-H Club awards will also be presented at this time.

A social period will precede the noontime roast beef dinner, at which presentation of the A. A. N. industrial landscape awards will be made. The afternoon session of the 1-day meeting will feature guest speaker Robert Zion, New York, N. Y., who will give an account of "Site Planning of the American Exposition at Moscow.'

N. L. N. A. MEETING

The annual meeting of the National Landscape Nurserymen's Association has been scheduled for January 10, it was recently announced by the association's treasurer, Lloyd G. Platt, Platt's Landscape Nursery, Davenport, Ia. Headquarters for the meeting will be at the Hotel La Salle, Chicago, Ill.

MICHIGAN WINTER MEETING

January 26 to 28 are the dates set for the annual winter meeting of the Michigan Association of Nurserymen. Participants will convene at the Statler-Hilton hotel, Detroit, Mich., according to A. H. Goldner. general chairman of the association.



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MARYLAND PROMOTION

A broad program of public relations is carried on by the Maryland Nurserymen's Association to disseminate information not only about the association's work but concerning the nursery industry in general. Enhancement of these efforts is seen in the group's study of a plan during the past year to employ a full-time executive secretary. Ways and means to carry out this idea and the preparation of an association program of wider scope have been made into a plan that will be submitted to the membership for approval at the group's annual meeting next month at Baltimore.

One of the group's developments, an indoor display available to all members for use at local shows, was exhibited at the Philadelphia convention of the American Association of Nurserymen, where it won favorable comment. It was also shown at a county fair and a harvest show in the state.

A tree list prepared by the association and published two years ago has been the basis for many newspaper articles throughout the state and was also published in a telephone company's employee publication.

TV Program

The association participated in a half-hour television program, "Outdoor Living," on station WBAL, channel 11, Baltimore, on Friday at 1:30 p. m. This program, sponsored by the University of Maryland extension service, was on a trial basis. It has now been extended and given a more favorable Saturday spot at the same hour. Members have taken part in the program and supplied plant materials used in the shows.

The TV program is part of the group's cooperation with assistant county agents serving urban and suburban homeowners. An officer of the M. N. A. assisted in the planning stages of this television program. Members of the M. N. A. are working with the assistant county agent in adult education in one county.

DOWNTOWN TREES MOVED

Eighty-two ash trees in redwood tubs, which lined streets in the business section of South Bend, Ind., during the past spring and summer, were removed recently to be transplanted in a nearby nursery for the winter. A total of 101 trees was tubbed and placed along the city streets last spring in a beautification program sponsored and financed by the South Bend downtown council:

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THE CHRISTMAS TREE

The month of December sees sale of about 40,000,000 Christmas trees. according to estimate. These are of many sizes, though the most popular are from three to seven feet. Leader among the species has long been the balsam fir, though black spruce and white spruce together run a close second east of the Rocky mountains, especially since the balsam fir cut in the lake states has diminished, most of the present trees of that species coming from Canada. In the Pacific northwest, the Douglas fir is the predominant Christmas tree, being shipped south along the Pacific coast and to neighboring states. Species that each contribute from one to four per cent of the total are Scotch pine, southern pine, red spruce, Virginia pine, white fir and Norway spruce. In the southern states the red cedar is popular.

In recent years, since trees have

been grown for the Christmas market, Scotch pine seems to be coming to the front, in several strains developed for this trade. Norway spruce, Douglas fir, balsam fir, white pine and other species are produced in lesser numbers. In fact, almost any common coniferous evergreen may be found used as a vuletide tree.

The Christmas tree is derived not from the Christian religion, but of pagan north European rites. Trees are little mentioned in the Bible, although there were more extensive forests in the Holy Land in Biblical days than at present, namely, the Forest of Lebanon, where the famous cedars grew.

Whatever the source, the Christmas tree has become the most popular holiday symbol. It is said that more of them are sold than Easter lily plants for the spring holiday or turkeys for Thanksgiving.

Christmas tree production on farms is increasing year by year, since woodlands have been cut over and forests are better conserved for lumber production. The current increase in this country's population should produce an expanding market for Christmas tree growers, although the annual thinning of woodlands and forests will still yield tremendous quantities of cut trees for the holiday.

Christmas tree growers have their own associations and a trade magazine. The results are improvements in species and their strains, in cultural methods and in marketing, so that their future seems as shining as the brightly lighted yuletide emblem they produce.

CHRISTMAS TREE MARKET SURVEY IN ILLINOIS

Opportunity for Illinois growers to profit from the state's lucrative Christmas tree market was shown in a study recently completed by the Illinois agricultural experiment station, Urbana. Surveys of Chicago and Champaign-Urbana consumers indicated that the supply of Scotch pine trees and premium-quality trees of almost any species was far short of the demand.

This demand, according to the station's report, could be supplied by local growers, who now provide only about 2 or 3 per cent of the Christmas trees sold in Illinois, most of the others coming from wild forest lands in Canada and the northern states which are located around the

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in eight midwestern states and was reported by J. N. Spaeth in a recent issue of the experiment station's publication Illinois Research. Illinois is among the states having a Christmas tree growers' association.

Dr. Spaeth reports that fir trees, which have dominated the Chicago market for some time, have always been the most abundant specimens suitable for Christmas trees, growing wild in the northern coniferous forests. Highly organized harvesting and marketing channels make fir readily available to the large wholesalers from whom most Chicago retailers buy their trees. Many retail outlets in the city were found to offer only fir.

Fir, however, is rapidly losing popularity as a Christmas tree. When given a free choice of five species, as many homeowners in Champaign-Urbana chose Scotch pine as chose fir. A study of trees used by Chicago business establishments, industries and institutions indicated a preference for Scotch pine. And Scotch pine is well adapted for growing on much of the poorer land in Illinois. Douglas fir, red pine, white pine, spruce and red cedar are other species which may be grown in Illinois and which were the first choice of some families.

Quality Greatest Factor

It was revealed in all the midwest studies, however, that quality is a more important factor in the consumer's choice than either species or price and that quality is scarce in the midwest market. Wholesalers and retailers, as well as consumers, complained about the poor quality of most of the trees available. Only 5.4 per cent of all the trees surveyed on selected Illinois sales lots in 1956 were of premium quality-more than half were very poor quality. Kansas and Nebraska were the states having the highest percentage of premium grades. Standards for grading Christmas trees have been set by the United States Department of Agriculture.

This lack of quality, according to Dr. Spaeth, provides local growers with their greatest opportunity. He states that the supply of good trees from the wild forest lands in the north is practically exhausted, whereas local growers can produce a high percentage of premium trees in managed plantations through cultivation and shearing.

Estimated figures compiled in the study indicated that the number of Christmas trees planted in Illinois increased from 66,000 in 1948 to over 3,000,000 in 1957, with Scotch MAN

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pine plantations making up more than half of the latter figure.

Dr. Spaeth points out that many planted trees are lost in unfavorable seasons or through neglect or other causes, however; so it appears that there is no overproduction in Illinois as yet, provided local growers can capture a major portion of the state's market.

KEEP YULE TREES FRESH

Eleven quarts of water will keep a Christmas tree fresh, green and fire resistant during the holidays, according to an article appearing recently in Illinois Research, a publication of the Illinois agricultural experiment station, Urbana.

That was the quantity of water consumed by a 6-foot Norway spruce kept for two weeks in a warm, dry room. A check tree of the same species, which received no water, lost all its needles during the same period.

Every Christmas, many suggestions are given for treating the tree with chemicals and waxes to help to keep its needles and to reduce the fire hazard. According to the Illinois Research article, many of these treatments are unsatisfactory for home use, and the water treatment will be found superior by most persons.

The tree will absorb water more freely if a fresh cut, cross or diagonal, is made at the base of the stem before the tree is set in water. Although fir and pine trees retain their needles much better than spruce, they, too, will benefit from the water treatment.

ORNAMENTAL SMALL TREES [Continued from page 8]

A native large shrub or small tree of the south is Cyrilla racemiflora, southern leatherwood. The semievergreen to fully evergreen leaves are linear in outline, being three to four inches in length and often only one-half inch to three-fourths inch wide. I describe the plant as being semievergreen to evergreen, for this plant often takes on a brilliant orange to scarlet fall foliage color in some locations, while on other trees in the same area and usually under more moist conditions, the leaves will retain their evergreen condition until the spring, at which time new growth appears and the old foliage is lost. The outstanding feature of this plant is the early summer, all-white flowers, borne in pendulous racemes that often are three to five inches in length.

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plants of the south. Throughout the south, the plant generally flowers in late June, and possibly in northern areas the tree would even be flowering in July. While they are not so showy as the flowers, the seed pods, with their yellowish color, are notable against the lustrous dark green foliage in the late summer and fall. American cyrilla, or leatherwood, is found commonly under moist conditions along streams and is best cultivated in a good soil with a high level of organic matter. But I have noted that the plant will do well under fairly dry conditions and continue to be effective in its flowering in summer. While it is often considered a large shrub, I see no reason why this plant cannot be grown as a small summer-flowering tree.

Crape Myrtle

Crape myrtles, common throughout the south, generally are considered large shrubs and often are used in city plantings along the areas be-

tween the street and sidewalk. Occasionally one has the opportunity to find a crape myrtle in tree form and see the beautifully mottled gray to brown bark and smooth trunk, often twisted and contorted, somewhat like the ironwood or blue beech. I have seen large specimens of the white crape myrtle, but the plant tends to have a rather widespreading growth habit as compared to those of the other color forms, such as the pink or watermelon red. I see no reason why crape myrtle could not be grown by nurserymen in the south as a standard or as a multiple-trunked, small tree, for it is certainly characteristic of the south and handsome in the midsummer, with its large clusters of flowers.

Another group of plants generally considered as hedge plants or large shrubs are the privets, the two common ones being the glossy privet (Ligustrum lucidum) and the Japanese privet, L. japonicum. Occasionally, one sees large plants of both species that have been al-

lowed to become trees. These striking plants, both evergreen, have handsome foliage, creamy-white flowers and bluish-black fruit in contrast to the green foliage. I can think of no other plant that is as foolproof as a privet and see no reason why it cannot be used satisfactorily as a small, round-leaved ornamental tree.

There are numerous oaks native to the south, but one small or medium-size evergreen oak that should be used more often is Quercus acuta, the Japanese evergreen oak, a medium-size tree, usually 40 feet in height or slightly larger. The tree is generally oval headed, but sometimes one sees rather round or flat-topped trees in this species. The foliage is medium to grassy green in color, rather coarse textured, usually three inches in length and has coarse serrations on the margin. The plant commonly is used as a hedge or screening plant, for it allows itself to be pruned or sheared severely and responds to this treatment. It can

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make a desirable ornamental tree, however, with its lustrous evergreen foliage. While it is not generally available in the south, the Japanese evergreen oak is gradually becoming popular.

Other Interesting Oaks

There are several other interesting evergreen oaks that could possibly be used in the south. I recall seeing some years ago plants of the holly oak (Q. ilex) growing at Knoxville, Tenn. The leaf is similar to the familiar holly leaf, as it is spiny and small in size. The trees are not rapid in their rate of growth but are quite interesting in their gnarled branching habit and apparently would make a small tree 30 feet or so in height.

Q. glauca, the little Japanese oak. is similar to the Japanese evergreen oak, but the leaves have more of the grayish color on the underside. There are other small oaks that could possibly be used better than this one throughout the south.

Pear trees are common in the south, and one with possibilities as an ornamental is Pyrus calleryana, the Callery pear. The flowers of this small, 30-foot tree are white, as on most other pear trees, and the fruit is small, usually one-half inch to one inch in length. This plant has been used primarily as understock and for breeding work, but it could be used as an early spring-flowering ornamental tree. It is less susceptible to fire blight than some other species of pears.

Crab apples have great possibilities as ornamentals in the south, because many of the common varieties are as satisfactory under Southern conditions as they are in the north.

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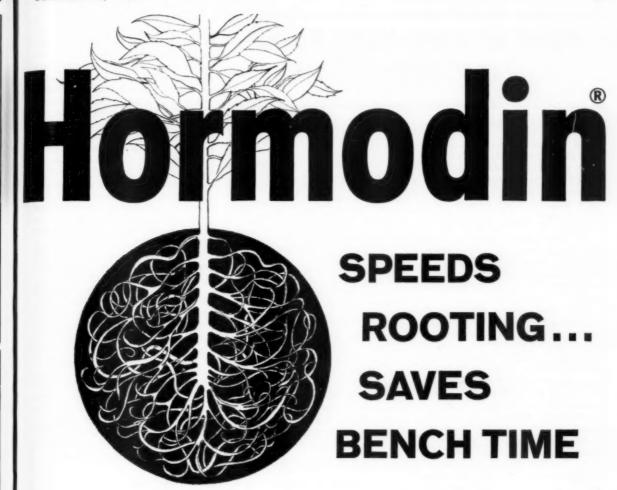
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Reflections on the Problems of Nurserymen By E. Sam Hemming

OFFBEAT LANDSCAPING

Not all good landscaping can be done in the usual way. There are types and features of landscaping foreign both to the nurseryman who grows the plants and to the landscape architect who specifies them. While there may not be many such situations, the few that arise can, as a rule, be handled best by the botanist, the plant ecologist or the greenthumb gardener. If intelligently developed, some of these situations may create some beautiful landscape fea-

One aspect of this offbeat landscaping is the raising of trees and shrubs from seed in situ. Some trees, such as the white oak, for example, transplant so poorly that it is rarely worth the effort. One cannot scatter acorns on the ground and not expect the rodents to get them all. To grow a white oak in a certain spot, several acorns have to be planted in well prepared ground completely protected by wire mesh. The first year after germination all but the best tree ought to be destroyed; this one should have full care and cultivation until it is well established and large enough to care for itself. Other hardto-transplant oaks, hickories, pecans, etc., can be treated in the same way.

Self-Sown Plants

Sometimes nature will supply and sow the seed when conditions are favorable. On one occasion a customer asked my father to develop a windbreak along the edge of a field. Noticing that a few mature loblolly pines grew along the woods edging the field, my father told the man that he needed only to plow, disk and prepare the strip of ground and that the seed falling from these trees onto the prepared area would germinate. Other than discouraging some of the weeds from growing, no other effort was required of one to produce the pines, which, once established in this manner, seemed to grow faster than those planted as seedlings.

Another plant best handled by sowing the seeds is Scotch broom. This is an ideal plant for sandy and gravelly banks in the Maryland-Virginia area, but any attempt to transplant small nursery plants will not be successful. The plant itself lasts only two to five years, but when growing

in an area that suits its demands it will reseed itself and thrive for many

Birds can assist in landscaping an area if the seeds are readily available, and it is possible for them to create a fence-line planting of red cedar, American holly and white dogwood. Here again it may be necessary to destroy some plants that are too close together, as well as plants of species not desired. Incidentally, the random planting of nature can never quite be duplicated by even the expert naturalistic planter.

Use of Cuttings

Sometimes a naturalistic landscape can be created by using cuttings, particularly of such material as willows. It is possible for a seed to sprout and establish itself in a situation where a transplanted plant would not thrive. Similarly, a willow cutting might root and thrive in a spot along a stream or the edge of

a marsh, for instance, where it is usually too wet for a tree to be transplanted. This idea does not only apply to cuttings; the same could hold true for runners and self-layering plants. I do not suppose a nurseryman would tell a customer that just one 25-cent English ivy could cover a bank 10 feet wide and 100 feet long, but with considerable follow-up effort this is possible. Such plants as the dainty partridgeberry, if planted in a place it liked, would be best treated this way, because, if it did not like the spot it would not grow at all; otherwise, one plant would be enough to cover a large area. The same kind of result can be had with the hardy bamboos (one reason for which I do not like them); one plant in a place it likes will spread so much it may in time take complete possession of an acre.

Horticulturists sometimes topwork an old fruit and nut orchard to improve its health or change the va. riety, but the idea is apparently never applied to landscaping, although it could be used effectively. It would offer some intriguing possibilities in changing or combining interesting varieties of flowering trees and shrubs. Of course, these ideas are of little commercial interest, but they do offer changes that the true plantsman cannot ignore completely.

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summer trend; it has been good in every category. Customers that we come in contact with are not interested in do-it-yourself plans any more. They want the work done by experts. They may want three months' terms or bank loan, FHA credit, but they want the job well

"Our referrals to landscape architects and the fees charged by these professional persons have been well taken, as well as charges for our own plans. 'Plan Before You Plant' has been our axiom this year, no matter whether it is a rough, penciled sketch on the site or a wellconceived and executed landscape architect's drawing.

"Autumn is an extremely important and good time of year for us in our landscape business. The ground is warm and workable, the weather is cool and getting cooler over three good months and business is less hurried and harried. Jobs may be more carefully planned and profits more readily derived from jobs well done for satisfied customers.

Fall Starts Dry

E. Sam Hemming, Eastern Shore Nurseries, Inc., reports on an incomplete season, in which dry weather was a limiting factor, at Easton, Md., as follows:

"Fall business usually runs very close to spring's in volume, being heavier in landscape business, and lighter in cash sales. Weather has again been a detrimental factor, as the first six weeks were exceedingly dry. Jobs were harder to do, and some had to be postponed. The landscaping business seems to be excellent, with the wholesale business off a bit."

Fall Landscaping Tops Spring's

"Fall of 1959 has been a busy season for us," writes William A. Natorp, William A. Natorp Co., Cincinnati, O. He continues: "We are still in the midst of planting (November 24). Weather conditions for growth of all plants have been good, with sufficient rainfall throughout the season, except for one short dry spell.

"In order to keep skilled labor all year around, we have been able to increase our landscape work each year during the fall season. In 1959, 55 per cent of our landscape business was done in the latter half of

the year.

"Fall business was not so heavy in our garden store and nursery

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Michigan Demands Off

Bad weather in both fall and spring hampered operations at the Stark Nursery, Midland, Mich., according to John S. Stark, who writes as follows:

"Normally, our autumn business approximates 40 per cent of our annual sales, but this season seemed to be an exception. Due to the late arrival of spring, our cash-and-carry sales, as well as landscape planting, got off to a slow start, but picked up fast as the season progressed. A cold, rainy autumn, however, hampered our digging and lawn construction during that season.

"Bulb sales were down about 40 per cent, which seemed to be the general trend in this area.

"Our sales for the year thus far show a gain of about 8 per cent over last year's, due to several large contracts. Our plant material has made excellent growth this year, and we believe that it has hardened down in good condition to be more winter hardy than it was last year."

Late Start in Illinois

Eugene A. de St. Aubin, Eugene A. de St. Aubin & Bro., Inc., Addison, Ill., cites the varied aspects of the Illinois fall season as follows:

"Weather conditions this fall were not conducive to an early season start. There were heavy rains the first few days of August and then no rain until late September. The ground became so dry that we believed it necessary to supply moisture to a number of items. September and the forepart of October were not up to the usual marks. Thereafter, activity in all departments increased and has persisted to some extent up to the present cold spell. We were gratified at the results of the last half of the period and we are confident that this season will be a satisfactory one.

"Stock moved in a normal manner. The proportion of evergreens, shrubs and trees followed closely the outgo average, with balled shrubs again making a slight gain. Collections have been fairly good.

"The steel strike has affected business, and gives an inkling of what can be expected should it be repeated or if two other groups of

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"We are optimistic for spring, if uncertainties clear up. There is a pent-up demand for stock carried over from fall. Building continues at a good pace, and with the psychological factor present, the coming season should be one of good busi-

Short Season for Minnesota

"General landscape, nursery and bulb business was good this fall, considering weather conditions,' cording to Harold S. Reid, Holm & Olson, Inc., St. Paul, Minn. He continues: "Though the planting season started favorably, with good weather, it ended up short and expensive, because of excessive rains. The second week in November put a stop to the entire operation with six inches of frost."

Record Fall in Missouri

"We have had better business this season than ever before," reports Royer K. Wilkerson, Wilkerson Nursery, Columbia, Mo. "We still have a considerable number of orders to fill. The size of the orders this fall is greater than that of last year's; we expect our dollar volume will increase by about 25 to 50 per

"Little of our deciduous stock is sold in the fall-not more than 5 per cent of the year's total, but we make about 40 per cent of our B&B sales in the autumn. We feel that spring business will be better than it was last year."

Unusual Iowa Season

A considerable drop in fall sales of deciduous stock and an increase in evergreen sales were actually favorable circumstances for Robinson & Parnham, Des Moines, Ia., according to Harold J. Parnham. He notes other unusual data contributing to a successful year in the following letter:

"Some strange things take place in our business from year to year and they are sometimes hard to explain. In brief, here is what happened to

us in the past five months:

"Hard goods sales are off 7 per cent; professional sales are off 50 per cent; landscape sales are up over 100 per cent, and fall bulb sales are off 25 per cent. Our over-all picture for 11 months is up 34 per cent. Fall landscape jobs have run as much as 90 per cent industrial or commercial plantings and only about 10 per cent or less residential.

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one third of normal deciduous sales. That was a lucky break, for we have not yet had a good killing frost in the Des Moines area (November 17). Along with the much over normal rainfall, this has made it difficult to dig deciduous stock, as it has stayed green right up to this week's below-zero weather.

"Another interesting sidelight is that we have received many jobs this fall on which we were the highest bidder. We seldom bid on highly competitive jobs for the reason that the best and the cheapest just are not bedfellows. We have always tried to do the best. I hope it is beginning to pay off."

Virginia Gains

Sales increased this fall, along with the number of industrial landscape contracts and the demand for specimen trees and broad-leaved evergreens, writes Wendall L. Winn, Norfolk Nursery, Norfolk, Va. His letter follows:

"Sales since September 1, 1959, indicated an increase of 5 per cent over the preceding fall. Autumn volume constitutes 40 per cent of sales over a period of one year. Demand for large specimen trees and broad-leaved evergreens is increas-

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"Industrial and commercial landscape contracts are steadily increasing as a result of the American Association of Nurserymen program. Concrete and asphalt are being replaced with lawns, trees and shrubs. Orders for spring delivery are larger than in previous years, and it appears that landscape contracts will also increase in 1960."

Fall Almost Equals Spring

"We have had a very satisfactory fall season to date," writes Louis E. Hillenmeyer, Hillenmeyer Nurseries, Lexington, Ky., in a letter dated November 23. "Weather, soil conditions, labor and volume, while not exactly perfect, have been such that we are not 'griping'-in other words, 'The Sun Shines Bright on Our Old Kentucky Home.'

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"We hope to show about 10 per cent increase in our sales, and the only discordant notes are that profits do not keep up with our volume, and collections have been slow.

"Lexington has enjoyed more than average growth and there has been much new building in central Kentucky. There is practically no heavy industry in our area, and the steel strike has not affected us so far. We are looking forward to a good Christmas business in our garden stores and feel that we are going to have a good spring season."

Tennessee Sales Up

A drop in retail sales at the nursery, a considerable increase in landscape work and difficulty with collections are among the aspects of the fall season reported by Richard H. Jones, Jones Ornamental Nursery, in this letter from Nashville,

"The 1959 growing season was excellent for us and for most nurserymen of this area. Only September was without plenty of rain, and that was not true throughout the region.

"We have now enjoyed three successive good growing seasons, which is much different from the previous 6-year cycle, 1951 through 1957, of heat and drought.

"Our fall business, which usually runs 25 per cent of the annual total, is above that of 1958 and probably marks an all-time high. This is rather surprising, because our carriage trade, cash-and-carry and doit-yourself business is down badly; but the landscape business is way up and accounts for the increase in total sales.

"From what I have heard, this is true with most of the retail nurseries here. Even advertising has failed to bring in customers, though we did not have a fall sale. This lack

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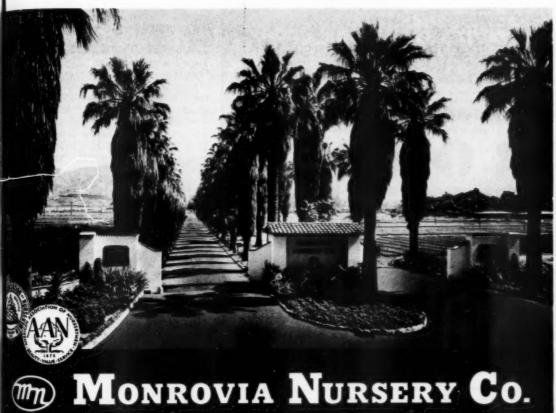
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"All our costs are still increasing faster than our prices. We think that our delivery costs have grown far out of proportion. The expenses for trucks, gasoline and especially repairs are making it extremely difficult to hold delivery cost down. Next to labor it is our largest expense and has increased even more than labor cost.

"One factor that helped our landscape business was fine fall weather. Only now (November 25) are we beginning to lose any appreciable time, whereas in fall of 1958 bad weather started with November.

"Collections are very slow, and we find that many accounts are just as slow as we will let them be. Credit is being stretched as far as possible."

Florida Expects Good Season

In a letter from Leesburg, Fla., dated November 27, G. W. Pringle, Florida Nursery & Landscape Co., points out that his firm expects to have a better than average fall, winter and spring volume, but that the business in general follows the pattern established in previous years. He writes:

"Generally speaking, our business curve begins to arch upward about October 1 and continues upward until about January 15, reaching a peak in April or May after a steeper incline. From there the curve declines to its lowest point in August or September.

"Business this fall is following the pattern of previous years. From all indications we will have a better-than-average fall, winter and spring volume, provided the weather is favorable.

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Berberis Crimson Pigmy—Light, BG, liners,
18 mo. old, branched to fairly bushy, 5 to
7 ins., 18c; heavy, BG, liners, 6 to 9 ins.,
bushy, 25c.
Berberis Julianae — The hardiest evergreen
barberry—Big rooted cuttings, Aug. 69, 9c.
Berberis Julianae anna — Compact growth,
darker green leaf, may be a little hardier,
RC, Aug. 69, 10c.
Berberis Julianae pyramidalis — An upright,
pyramidal form of julianae barberry, evergreen, smaller leaf, very erect, RC, heavy,
Aug. 58, 20c.

pyramidal form of julianae barberry, ever-green, smaller leaf, very erect, RC, heavy, Aug. 58, 29c.
Berberls mentorensis — RC, Aug. 59, 7e.
Blota—See Thuja.
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Nivalis—The best of the white-flowering quinces—RC, small, need to be potted or bedded, 10e; BG, liners, 6 to 12 ins., 18e; 12 to 18 ins., 24e.

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Cydonia—See Chaenomeles
Elacagnus ebbingei — New, from Dutch
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June 59, 20e.
Euonymus alatus compactus—RC, June 59,
8c.

Buonymus alatus compactus—RC, June 59, 62.
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Hex crenata hetz.—Large RC, Aug. 59, 7c; C, rooted Aug. 58, kept cut back to 7 or 8 ins., beginning to branch well, 19c.

Hex crenata Maxwell—A Bennett hybrid, looks like convexa, but a much better grower, rather small RC, Aug. 59, 19c.

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Hex crenata rotundifolia—Large, RC, Aug. 59, 7c; C, rooted Aug. 58, kept cut back to 7 or 8 ins., beginning to branch well, 10c.

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Juniperus—All the following are from short, greenhouse-type cuttings. They were rooted under mist in beds of soil in the spring of 1959. They have been cut back several times to make nice, compact, heavy, rooted cuttings about 6 ins. high and beginning to bush out. None are leggy. They are still small enough to pot. If you plan to sell potted liners, many of these will be salable just as soon as they establish their roots in the pots.

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Pranus iaurocerasus zabelianas (Cherry Laurel)—Usually considered the hardiest, RC, July 59, atrong cuttings, many leaves, good root system, 12e; C, rooted 1958, kept cut back to about 8 ins., beginning to branch,

hula orientalis aurea nana (Berckmans Golden Arborvitae) — Cuttings rooted apring 58, kept cut back to about 6 or 7 ins. to make them bush out, but still small enough for a \$\frac{1}{2}\times or 3 \times in, pot. Several nurserymen have put these right into the field, 10c. Cuttings rooted spring, 1955, kept cut back to 7 or 8 ins., not rounded out yet, but heavy, of good caliper and with a fine root system. Probably too large to pot, but would be nice to can, or fine for the field, 15c. Thuja Gold

for the field, 15c.

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**Viburnum hurkwoodi—RC. June 52, 16c.

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Viburnum burkwoodi—RC, June \$9, 10e.

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Nebraska Fall Sales Restricted

Though autumn business is only 15 per cent of the spring volume at

Marshall Nurseries, Arlington, Neb., the season compared favorably with those of other years, according to Vernon Marshall. He also notes a bright outlook for next spring in the following letter:

"We have enjoyed an excellent fall business and, I think, have booked and planted as much or more nursery stock than we have in former years. Autumn accounts for a comparatively small part of our

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"Our bookings for spring are somewhat ahead of those of a year ago and we are optimistic about the future. Crops have been good in this area, and, of course, this is a factor in determining the willingness of our customers to purchase nursery stock. At present our Omaha and Denver nurseries, as well as the office at Arlington, are all ahead of a year ago on sales for spring delivery.

"We have had some rather unseasonable weather during the month of November. It has been touch and go as to whether or not we could get everything dug and in storage before freeze-up time. However, with a few more good days we will have this taken care of and we will feel much easier about the situation."

Kansas Firm Has "Best" Fall

Ralph B. Ricklefs outlines a few of the promotional factors that helped make this season the best fall in 10 years for the Kansas Landscape & Nursery Co., Salina, Kan. He writes:

"Autumn business is not nearly so important to us as spring business; however, we tend to 'push' it more, since we have more time to do so. Although we cannot quote accurate figures, this was a much better fall than any previous one in the past

"This year we tried, through special sales and special advertising, to move some of our larger evergreens. The campaign was highly successful, and we had more time to handle these larger sizes than in the spring. This also gives us an opportunity to plan better for spring planting, since we cleared several blocks of larger evergreens.

"We also feature, in October and November, cut bouquets of fieldgrown chrysanthemums at a bargain price. This stimulates related sales and stirs much interest in chrysanthemum plants for future sales.

"The flower sales culminate in an open house, when all flowers and featured evergreens are on display and prizes are given. This creates a great deal of publicity and advertising for us.

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spell. Since then, the weather has moderated, and at this writing (November 24) we are attempting to get some 2,000,000 seedlings, shrubs and trees on the inside.'

Profit Lags Behind Volume

Net profit did not keep pace with the increase in fall volume experi-enced by the Puget Sound Nursery & Gift Shop this season, according to L. H. McGuire. He also reports a decrease in the company's emphasis on sales of hard goods and related items in this letter from Tacoma, Wash .:

"Our spring business is much better than that of autumn both this year and in previous years. I would say that the ratio is about 3 to 2 or slightly higher. However, the autumn business would be much less if we did not have a good landscape program during the fall.

"Relative to sales in the retail yard, I would say that spring sales average 3 to 1 over autumn sales. One of our local nurseries that relies strictly on retail salesyard trade estimates that it does 75 per cent of the year's business by July 1. I might add that this nursery carries on an extensive newspaper and TV advertising program during the fall.

"1959 sales are up a little over those of 1958 in spite of the facts that 1958 was a good year and that the sales lot competition has increased. I am sorry to add that the net profit has not increased in proportion to the increase in sales. I believe this is due to both an increase in all costs and a slight decrease in return per dollar of labor cost.

"We have de-emphasized the sale of hard goods, bulbs and such items in the past year. In our operation, I believe that these items do not merit the additional sales costs that are necessary to increase their sales volume to a profitable point. Because of the smaller margin of profit on merchandise of this type, it seems necessary either to go all out for a large volume or not to stress its sale at all."

Nurseries in the Bay area of northern California have a 20 per cent increase in sales, largely due to excellent weather, reports John Mc-Donnell, McDonnell Nurseries, Oakland, Calif.

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PLANT NOTES HERE AND THERE

By C. W. Wood

Two Good Plantain Lilies

An eastern reader wishes to add two plantain lilies (hosta) to his stock and asks for comments and recommendations. I am glad to comment on the subject, for the plants embraced by the name form one of the more important landscape groups. Recommendations, if they are to carry specific names, are another matter, because the names used in gardens are hopelessly confused. I shall be glad, however, to pick out two that have proved to be popular with garden makers, and try to describe these. The blame for confusion in names cannot be placed entirely upon gardeners, though, because a form known to botanists as Hosta erromena, was grown in gardens for a long time without having a name, or it was known by several of the recognized names. The form bota-nists know as H. lancifolia is quite firmly embedded in the literature as H. japonica and, to a lesser degree, as H. lanceolata.

One of the favorites with experienced gardeners is what I take to be H. fortunei, though it may be known under any of a half dozen names. The characters to look for when trying to recognize this plant are scapes to two feet or more in height, extending above the foliage mass (hence the common name tall-cluster plantain lily) and glaucous leaves to five inches long and three or more inches in width. It begins to bloom in late June or early July. The length of the leaves of H. fortunei sets it apart from H. sieboldiana, the scapes of which are mostly shorter than the foliage (hence the common name short-cluster plantain lily), and whose leaves may get a foot long and eight inches or more across. Both plants bloom at about the same time, and the flowers of both kinds are pale lilac to white. Either plant will make a good ornament.

Another favorite with planters is the narrow-leaved plantain lily, H. lancifolia, especially the form albomarginata. In gardens it is often grown under such names as H. japonica, its old name; H. fortunei; H. decorata, and others. This plant can be recognized by its narrow (two inches), lance-shaped (tapered at both ends), green (not glaucous) leaves, with three or four nerves on each side of the midrib, and lavender

to lilac bells hanging from 2-foot scapes, standing well above the foliage. It blooms from August onward.

Although the plantain lilies give the best account of themselves when they have sufficient moisture, they are quite tolerant and will persist under neglect. They thrive in rich soil, preferably clay with good drainage, I believe, and seem to prefer some shade. However, the small-leaved kinds show little, if any, of the leaf burning experienced by the large-leaved plants when given full sun, so they may be used as edging plants in almost any position. Propagation of plantain lilies is from division of the clumps.

Arenaria Gothica

A correspondent, who has been disappointed with the results he achieved with Arenaria gothica, asks for information about the plant.

I can find nothing in my notes on the plant and do not remember having seen it, though I do recall looking for it years ago. So I shall have to rely on the books for information. And I find this is one of Farrer's books, which I paraphrase as follows:

Aranaria gothica is a tiny plant, with shoots not more than an inch long lying upon the ground and set with pairs of glossy, small, oval leaves, dark green and fat looking. The flowers are borne all through the summer, lying here and there on the tuft. They are large for the size of the plant and are of a clear, solid white

Farrer also remarks that cultivation might change the plant's appearance, especially if it is given a generous diet. Then it might grow more erect and larger, losing the daintiness which makes it so attractive in nature. His conclusion seems to be that the moraine is the best place for this plant.

Ranunculus Aconitifolius

I agree with a Maryland correspondent who said in a recent letter that more use should be made of the European Ranunculus aconitifolius

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than is now the case. I agree with him also when he says that they are easier to handle than most buttercups and that they are not so aggressive as some,

Even though few buttercups grow in today's gardens, gardeners who remember them from former days or have read the endearing remarks of old-time gardeners about them have a great longing for the plants. I find several remarks in my notes which testify to the truth of that satement. A note in one of the 1939 books, for instance, reads as follows:

"A few specimens grown from seeds marked Ranunculus aconitifolius grandiflorus (they differ in no way from the type, so far as I can see) attracted as much attention as any plant in the garden this June. And why should that not be true? They are not spectacular, to be sure, but their shining white buttercups, to an inch across, on 20-inch or taller stems, over tufts of pretty, monkshood-like leaves, make a splendid picture in the partial shade that suits the plants.

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Northland Daisies

A Minnesota reader writes that he recently read a lavish praise of northland daisies in an old amateur garden magazine, and saw an advertisement listing several good color varieties. Because he is new in the trade he knows nothing about these plants and would like to have some

The varieties known in 1937 are seldom seen today, and I did not find them in any of the catalogs consulted after receipt of this letter. Some eastern growers may still have them hidden away in their nurseries. Today the newer Korean hybrids have largely taken the place of the older varieties. But neither the Koreans nor northland daisies are too satisfactory in a northern climate because few of them bloom much before October 5 to 10, too late for the shortseason northern climate. Among the original northland daisies (hybrids of Chrysanthemum arcticum), a northern grower might try Brunhilde,



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which has long, pink-tinged, bronze petals, and Siegfried, which is of a rich yellow.

Lewisia Rediviva

Of all the lewisias, L. rediviva, the bitterroot of the west, is the most reliable in eastern gardens, according to rather extensive trials in my garden. But even this plant has a tendency to die out in time, so one should have a fresh supply coming on at 2 or 3-year intervals.

If everything about the plant is considered, it is surprising that so few gardeners outside its western range have ever seen the plant and fewer still have grown it. That will seem doubly strange to all who have grown it, know of its ease of culture and have admired the beauty of its spectacularly large flowers.

L. rediviva grows naturally from the eastern Rockies to the coast, its color varying from pink through rose to white, always producing a rather meager tuft of portulaca-like leaves, from which spring the quite stemless flowers, reminding one of a water lily. It has been my experience that stock from the eastern Rockies (Montana, to be exact), is the most reliable in the east. Fortunately, the plant has always been white flowered in my trials which, incidentally, is the most pleasing to me. In my trials fall-sown seeds, if fresh, germinated almost 100 per cent. The plants were quite permanent in my light, sandy soil in full sun. It should be added, though, that the leaves completely disappear about flowering time and cannot be seen again until fall.

A Yellow Regal Lily

Last summer I saw and admired again the new yellow regal lily, Royal Gold. I should like to tell a little about it, in case it should have been overlooked. Described by the originator as a "true-breeding mutation of the regal lily," it is of greater value to gardeners than this scientific jargon implies. When the ordinary regal lily, in all its glory and with all its good points, including ease of culture and sureness of blooming under average garden conditions, is replaced by one of golden-yellow color with a glistening surface, one of the most attractive lilies of recent introduction results, in a period when good, new lilies are coming on the garden scene more rapidly than ever before.

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in some notes on the plant he read in this column a few years ago. As he does not refer to the issue in which these notes appeared, I am unable to check what I said about it, but I must have been thinking about onthing and writing about another if I said all forms of E. aureus were equally desirable. What I should have said is something like this:

Fleabanes vary in many ways, so that it is unsafe to make positive statements about any of them until one has all available evidence in his possession. A poor form of E. aureus, for example, is very drab, with small, dull yellow flowers; a good form, however, makes a glorious showing, being made up of gray, hairy leaves, an inch or two long, narrow and pointed at the tips. These form a neat clump from which rise stems reaching a height of two to four inches, bearing a bright yellow daisy, an inch or so in diameter.

All of this combines to make a truly lovely plant in the hands of a careful gardener. He need not be too careful, either, for this is a western alpine which seems to be able to adapt itself to lowland conditions without too much fussing on the gardener's part. I find a note in one of my old field books to the effect that the plant did well in my trials in a scree soil (sand and gravel with peat

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and leaf mold added to insure some nourishment and moisture retention) of slight acidity, in a spot that was lightly shaded during the middle of the day.

Hanson's Lily

To the New York reader who inquired about Lilium hansoni, may I suggest that he give it a trial, remembering that it is one of the early bloomers, needing care when late frosts threaten. My appraisal of its garden value would be something

like this: Easy-going, long-lived, it is one of the better kinds for the beginner in lily culture and good enough for the advanced lily enthusiast. Its only drawback, as I mentioned before, is the possibility of damage from late spring frosts. If that is taken care of, about the third week in June should bring the reward in the form of quite large, brown-spotted flowers of yellow and good substance. It did well in my trials in a leafy soil in part shade, planted six to eight inches deep. It has to be

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propagated from divisions, an easy process, or from scales. It does not, so far as I know, ever produce seeds but it is said to cross readily with L. martagon.

Day Lily High Noon

In answer to a correspondent who writes he has heard flattering reports on the day lily High Noon and asks whether I know it, I can say that I have observed it in the plantings of a day lily specialist during the past three years and report thusly:

Although I try to tell myself that the size of a flower has no influence on me when I appraise the worth of a day lily, whenever I see High Noon, its 5-inch blooms are the first thing that attract my attention. The breadth of the petals (a breadth which makes for a well-rounded flower, a character needed by a day lily flower to satisfy me) heightens the appeal. Finally, a rich orange color completes the picture of one of the most attractive day lilies of modern vintage. A height of three feet, or more (usually more under good culture), adds the finishing touch.

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A crew from the Kings county nursery, with trucks containing 17 gingko trees to beautify Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y., was bewildered when their pneumatic drill penetrated the pavement and disclosed, not black soil, but a BMT subway station below. Moving down the street, they tried again, but with the same result.

The head of the nursery produced a parks department permit and said he had been assured there was five feet of soil between the pavement and the subway. A spokesman for the parks department said the permit had been issued after assurance by the transit authority there was that five feet of soil. A transit authority spokesman said it had been asked only a general question about soil between the subway and the pavement, without mention of specific points. In general there was five feet of soil, but at certain points there was only a 6-inch slab of reinforced concrete

The latter was the case in front of the shop of James Weir Florists, 160 Montague street. Bernard Atkins, president of the firm, said he had spent four months talking his fellow merchants on the street into putting up \$40 each for the 17 trees. We are the only street in the neighborhood without trees, and now this happens!"

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P. S.: A subsequent article in a New York newspaper stated that the tree-planting project is being resumed with 15 of the 17 original trees being planted. Unfortunately, Mr. Atkins, the originator of the project, cannot have a tree.

MICHIGAN MEETING

Members of the Michigan Association of Landscape Architects met at Ann Arbor, Mich., November 12 for their third general meeting of the year. The meeting was held in the Union building on the campus of the University of Michigan.

Kenneth Wanty, campus landscape architect, welcomed the membership and discussed the varied problems and achievements of the landscape development program at the university as the campus expands. Governing bodies of institutions such as the U. of M. are beginning to realize the importance of the landscape architect's role in planning new and improving existing facilities, he stated.

Carl Cerlech reported on the progress of registration for landscape architects in Michigan during a short business meeting held during lunch

in the Union building.

After lunch, William Johnson, associate professor at the University, discussed "Design and Presentation." Mr. Johnson pointed out the necessity of determining the basic requirements of a project as the basis of good design. The most difficult job of the designer, he felt, is to communicate his solutions to the client, and this is the area where presentation can bridge the gap. Mr. Johnson concluded his talk by demonstrating several outstanding methods of presentation

A field trip of the Ann Arbor area concluded the day's activities. The trip included the Arborcrest cemetery, the north campus and several private homes. Prof. H. O. Whittemore, Kenneth Wanty and Kenneth Runciman handled the details of arranging this outstanding program.

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SCHOLARSHIP WINNER

Hiram J. Emerson, Lisbon, Ia., an Iowa State University senior majoring in nursery management, is this year's winner of the \$600 scholarship awarded annually by the Henry Field Seed & Nursery Co., Shenandoah, Ia. Recipients of this award must be juniors or seniors majoring in horticulture or botany. Their

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During the open house days, prizes were given away every 15 minutes, among them a lawn mower, a gift certificate and an electric edger.

The nursery features a complete line of plants and supplies, as well as a garden shop in which indoor plants, insecticides, bulbs, tools, pottery and other accessories for outdoor living are sold. A lath house at the rear of the building is used to display plants.

The business is a family operation, Mrs. Rita Lynne Breedlove, wife of Charles, being secretary, and Mrs. Mary Breedlove, wife of Ray, Jr., secretary-treasurer. Salespersons in the nursery are R. T. Breedlove, an uncle of the partners; Mrs. Merle Breedlove, and Joe Goldstein.

WHOLESALER'S REPORT

Additional notes on the wholesale nurserymen's fall season, supplementing those published in the December 1 issue of the American Nurseryman, are offered by Henry N. Boyd, Boyd Nursery Co., in this report from McMinnville, Tenn.:

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SELL CHESMORE UNITS

The two retail stores of the Chesmore Seed & Nursery Co., St. Joseph, Mo., were recently sold to Ellary E. Bennett, president of the newly formed Bennett Garden Center, Inc. The Chesmore Seed Co., a wholesale business established in 1878, will continue to operate.

Mr. Bennett has been associated with Chesmore's since 1953 when the Chesmore Sced & Nursery Co. was organized, serving as vicepresident and manager of the two retail stores. He is a past president and director of the Missouri State Nurserymen's Association; a director of the Central Turf Grass Association, Western Nurserymen's Association and Kansas State Nurserymen's Association, and a member of the St. Joseph Feed, Seed and Fertilizer Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, residents of St. Joseph since 1934, set up one of the two retail stores for the Chesmore Seed Co. and have been active in it ever since. The store, a complete farm and garden center occupying six acres of land, draws its customers from Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas.

The company's vice-president is Webb E. Stevenson, a graduate of the school of agriculture, University of Missouri, while Mrs. Elvira G. Bennett is secretary-treasurer.

WESTS SELL AND MOVE

Billy West, West Flower Garden, Brookville, O., recently sold his entire business to Anthony Brown. Mr. West, who had operated his nursery for the past 22 years, moved with his wife to Lewisburg, O., where they have remodeled an old stone house located on about 50 acres of rolling land. A large lake on the property is surrounded by beautiful woodland.

The Wests will continue to grow perennials and peonies, but will not carry a general line of nursery stock. They will also continue to breed fine Persian cats, several varieties of pheasants, registered pigeons and peafowls for sale.

PLANS for a nursery business at Lima, Peru, are being made by David E. Bennett, Jr., and Aurora Bennett, who plan to move there in January.

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LOS ANGELES CHAPTER

The Los Angeles chapter of the California Association of Nurserymen held a meeting November 18 at Henry's restaurant, Arcadia, Calif. After the introduction of guests, Norman A. Springer, Bandini Fertilizer Co., announced that the chapter Christmas party would be held December 8 at the Los Coyotes Country Club, Buena Park.

A list of flowering trees recommended for street planting by Los Angeles Beautiful was given to members by James C. Perry, Perry's Plants, Montebello, immediate past president of the C. A. N. He hoped that the members would avail themselves of the suggested varieties when buying and selling trees.

Don Woolley, Los Angeles County Arboretum, presented the plant forum, showing pictures of various types of eucalyptus and bottle-brushes. President Chuck Vogels, Chuck's Nursery, Covina, then stressed the importance of members' attending the meetings of other chapters, not only to represent the Los Angeles chapter, but to gather new ideas and to increase acquaint-anceships in the nursery field.

Vice-president Carl Zangger, Perry's Plants, Montebello, introduced the speaker, Dave Gilfillan, garden editor of the Independent Star News, Pasadena. After a brief introductory talk, Mr. Gilfillan showed slides and a film taken during a tour of Hawaii arranged by him for the Independent Garden Club of Pasadena. Jim Meadows, Sec'y.

REDWOOD EMPIRE CHAPTER

November 10, 40 members and guests of the Redwood Empire chapter of the California Association of Nurserymen gathered at Chef Cardini's, Glen Ellen, for the regular business meeting. Hugh Wallace, West End Nursery, San Rafael, chapter secretary, reported writing to the Superior chapter president with regard to the January joint meeting.

President Richard Lackey, Lackey's Nursery, Napa, read a letter from Jack Wick, C. A. N. assistant executive secretary, requesting the chapter's aid in gaining new mem-

bers. It was suggested that a list of prospective members be compiled from the nursery directory and that a local member be appointed to help the state office make personal visits to these prospects. The following were asked to help: Harold Prickett, Prickett's Nursery, Santa Rosa; Don Perry; Karl Untermann, West End Nursery, San Rafael; Robert Cudaback, Cudaback's Nursery, Napa, and Henry Martin, Henry Martin's Nursery, Sebastopol.

A motion was made and passed that the Redwood Empire chapter make a bid to sponsor the 1962 state convention. No details were discussed. Henry Martin reported on an article in the September American Home magazine that gave excellent information on shade trees.

Karl Untermann; Ruth Cullen, Cullen's Rincon Nursery, Santa Rosa; Richard Lackey, and Hugh Wallace displayed plants on the plant table. After Ruth Cullen announced that the Christmas party would be held in the San Rafael area, President Lackey raised the subject of the proposed constitution and bylaws, a copy of which had been mailed to all members. Considerable discussion on these proposals resulted in their being sent back to committee for more changes.

Introduced at the conclusion of the business meeting, the guest speaker for the evening was Dr. Richard Harris, University of California, Davis. Speaking on the "Nursery Stake in Landscape Horticulture," Dr. Harris described several research projects now being carried on by the university.

Hugh Wallace, Sec'y.

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SAN DIEGO CHAPTER

The Park Manor hotel, San Diego, Calif., was the site of the November meeting of the San Diego chapter, California Association of Nurserymen. On entering, members viewed samples of the new Bermuda grasses, including Tiffgreen, Ormond and U-3; Alta fescue, and Uganda displayed by the Circle-R ranch, located north of Escondido. All of the samples, from plantings made in September, were still green, though



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the average temperatures at the ranch are lower than those at San Diego. A sample of common Bermuda grass, already brown, was included for contrast.

President Moto Asakawa called the meeting to order and disposed of several items of business before calling on Vice-president Humphrey Lane to introduce the guests present. A motion that the chapter hold a Christmas party on December 17 was seconded and carried. "Red" Murphy, chairman of the publicity committee, was commended for answering gardeners' questions for the Pacific Beach Sentinel in addition to performing the same service for the Sunday Union.

President Asakawa then turned the meeting over to the guest speaker, Seward Bessemer, University of California farm adviser for flower and nursery crops, who spoke on "Bacterial Fungus of Ivy Ground Covers." (Mr. Bessemer's talk will be reported in a later issue of the American Nurseryman.)

Ada L. Perry, Sec'y.

MONTEREY BAY CHAPTER

The November meeting of the Monterey Bay chapter, California Association of Nurserymen, was held at the Tom Tom restaurant, Salinas. President Marion Sloan, Sloan's Nursery, Santa Cruz, called the meeting to order and read a letter of thanks and acceptance from James D. Bishop, who was recently named the first honorary lifetime member of the chapter.

The meeting was then turned over to Louis Olave, Hollister Garden Shop, Hollister, who explained the collection service offered by the C. A. N. Through this service, the state association will take over any delinquent accounts referred to it by a member nursery, sending out letters to the accounts and charging a fee of approximately 20 per cent of the amount collected. The service does not include going to court to force payment. Regarding the new dues assessment, he pointed out that associate members would be assessed as well as regular members.

Vice-president Clayton Pleiman, Tempo Landscape & Garden Service, Pacific Grove, who is in charge of programs for the current year, introduced Sherman Hardy as speaker for the chapter's first "gadget" period. These brief, 2-minute talks on a timesaving device, preparation or process will be a regular program feature.

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a recent landscape job.

Guest speaker for the evening was Kenneth Tweedy, Watsonville, who spoke on pre-emergence weed controls. (This talk will be reported in a later issue of the American Nurseryman.) Under the heading of new business, uniforms for C. A. N. member nursery employees were discussed. It was announced that the Oakland Towel Co. will supply light blue uniforms with the C. A. N. emblem on a shoulder free of charge. Member nurseries will pay only for additional insignia, such as employees' names, and for cleaning. Mr. Hardy added that the company was quoting 79 cents per cleaning. Bruce Stone was appointed to contact the local supplier.

It was then announced that the Christmas party would be held December 10 and that the guest speaker at the January meeting at Watsonville will be Al Pettler, Pettler Advertising Agency, who will speak on the spring promotion for 1960.

Sue Mell, Sec'y.

SUPERIOR CHAPTER

The November meeting of the Superior chapter of the California Association of Nurserymen was held at the Town House restaurant, Sacramento, November 18. Speaker for the evening was Mr. Breech, assistant chief of the bureau of plant quarantine, California department of agriculture. He told of a number of unusual incidents that occurred in connection with his work and explained that plants are carefully inspected.

John Bingmore, Goldenstate Linen Service, talked about his firm's service in supplying nursery employees with uniforms, while H. Harnichal, a representative for PAX crab grass control, talked about this product and answered questions. S. G.

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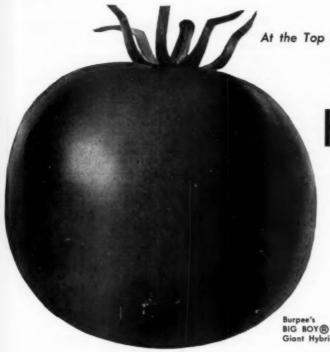
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ARBORISTS MEET

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Headlining the discussions was the pruning specification booklet that the association is planning to publish. When first drawn up, it was mimeographed and passed out to the membership. Some of the arborists sent copies to landscape architects and landscape contractors, and the demand for it became so great that it was thought a more attractive booklet should be printed. Prices for such a booklet were presented at this meeting, and it was agreed to proceed with the printing, but at no cost to the association. The initial order for the booklets will be held up until the members subscribe to enough copies to assure the entire cost of the printing. Suggestions for improving the wording of some phrases were offered and accepted by the group, and Leslie Mayne, San

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Mateo arborist, was requested to write a foreword for the booklet.

The secretary announced that the bill for the arborists' heading in the telephone directory had been received and that the cost had been increased for the coming year. It was decided to authorize the treasurer to pay the higher rate. This heading directs possible customers to the listings of the members of the association. The association seal is prominently displayed; the associa-

tion pays for this, and the members who care to advertise or list themselves in the yellow pages do so at their own expense. Use of this service is made in the San Francisco, San Mateo and Santa Clara county directories.

The membership of Harold G. Cowan, Sunnyvale arborist, was approved by the membership committee, and his name will be voted on at the next meeting.

The secretary read an acknowl-

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The president read several letters which he had received from the department of landscape horticulture at the University of California, Davis. They dealt with teaching and research at the university of interest to the arborists. It was decided to appoint a committee to screen the projects suggested by the membership and to ask Dr. Harris, chairman of the department, to attend an early meeting of the group. The president appointed the following committee: Leslie Mayne, chairman; Richard Marling, Davey Tree Service, San Francisco, and John Davis, Davis Tree Service, Menlo Park. Members were requested to consider desired research projects and submit them to the committee at the next meeting.

It was announced that the Davis Tree Service had installed a radio telephone service so that the office could contact crews during working hours and that the S. P. McClenahan Co., Palo Alto, had a walkietalkie type of radio on a favorable channel to contact its men. It was stated that there would be an election of officers and a Christmas program at the next meeting, scheduled for December 16. W. B. B.

SAN GABRIEL FALL SHOW

The second annual San Gabriel valley fall flower and garden show, held October 30 to November 1 at the Los Angeles State and County Arboretum, Arcadia, Calif., again drew the participation of leading professional and commercial growers of the area, as well as that of hundreds of amateurs.

Included in the rose exhibits in the arboretum's new Wing building were displays entered by Armstrong Nurseries, Ontario, Calif.; Elmer Roses, Inc., San Gabriel; Germain's, Los Angeles; Marsh's Nursery, Pasadena, and Weeks Wholesale Rose Grower, Ontario. A feature atraction of the outdoor garden and landscape exhibits grouped about the building was an extensive bonsai display in an Oriental garden setting entered by the San Gabriel Nursery, San Gabriel.

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OREGON NOTES

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The Cascade chapter of the O. A. N. recently met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Parker, Parker's Nursery, Applegate. Named as a nominating committee for the chapter by President A. M. Cooper, Cooper's Gardens, Canyonville, were Mrs. Moore, Moore's Nursery, Roseburg; Mrs. M. Lehne, M. Lehne Nursery, Roseburg, and Mrs. J. Vernon Marshall, Marshall Nursery & Florist, Medford. Vernon Shangle, Natural Food Associates, entertained the group with a film. Another chapter meeting was scheduled for December 8 at the Marshall Nursery & Florist. It was a potluck dinner meeting.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker, Holgate Nursery, Portland, recently, were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Falotico, and their three grandchildren, from the air force base, Salina, Kan.

Featured in the Oregonian Home and Garden magazine recently was an article and accompanying pictures of the H. O. Montag residence, landscaped by Bernard H. Vandewater, landscape gardener of Portland.

A recent serious accident destroyed the truck of Richard Hohn, Portland landscape gardener, and badly injured him. The unlicensed and uninsured driver of the car which hit Mr. Hohn's truck, was estimated to be traveling 80 or 85 miles per hour at the time of the accident. The five-yard truck was totally wrecked. The other car traveled another block, where it struck another car. Mr. Hohn was unconscious for 32 hours and was hospitalized for some time.

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Speakers and subjects for the series were selected by a steering committee of representatives from Oregon Association of Nurserymen chapters, the landscape gardeners' association, county agents from Multnomah, Washington and Clackamas counties and staff members of Oregon State College.

About 100 persons attended the first session the evening of November 17. Dr. Ira Deep, O. S. C., was in charge of the program, having as his topic, "How Plants Grow." Dr. Deep was presented by Ray McNeilan, Multnomah county agent.

Plant Growth

The speaker first compared the needs of plants and humans, stating that both need food, water, oxygen, minerals, vitamins, growth hormones and amino acids. Plants, he said, must have carbon dioxide, also. Whereas man obtains his necessities from the environment by eating, drinking and breathing, a plant uses the water, oxygen, minerals and carbon dioxide received from the environment to make all the other materials required, he said.

Through the process of photosynthesis, a plant takes water from the soil, carbon dioxide from the air and energy from sunlight to produce sugar (with stored energy) and oxygen. Actually, he said, photosynthesis is the process by which carbon dioxide and water react in the presence of light and chlorophyll to form sugar. He explained photo. tropism as a growth movement in response to light. In this regard he showed the group several plants used in research to demonstrate the growth of a plant toward light. A plant grows toward light, he ex-plained, because plant hormones move away from light and more growth then occurs at the back side, or dark side, of the stem. A plant grows upward for the same reason, he said; the hormones push the plant upward.

Respiration in a plant was described as the process whereby foods are oxidized, with release of energy. Sugar plus oxygen releases energy, which is made available to the plant,

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Next he explained digestion of a plant. Digestion, said Dr. Deep, amounts to the conversion of complex, insoluble foods to simple, soluble foods. Starch is converted into sugar; proteins are converted into amino acids, and fats are converted into fatty acids and glycerol.

Next Dr. Deep described the structure of a leaf, further breaking that down with information about a typical mesophyll cell. With the aid of information sheets given to each one and colored slides shown to the group, he explained the cuticle, epidermis, mesophyll, vein and stomate of a leaf. Stomates, he said, are the openings through which gases flow inward and outward in the leaf. He explained the processes of a cell and the means by which it grows mature and divides in the growth processes of a plant.

The ordinary kinds of growth in a plant, he said, are terminal and lateral. In the terminal growing points, three things happen: (1) Cells divide near the growing tip primarily; (2) farther back on the stem they usually do not divide but grow larger and (3) still farther down on the stem, the cells change into mature cells, ceasing to divide or grow. All plants are continually growing, he said; even 2,000-yearold redwoods have young tips.

Concerning the lateral growth of a stem, he described the vascular bundle, the cambium layer, the inner bark (phloem) and the new wood (xylem). The vascular bundles are made up of the phloem and xylem. Through the phloem food materials are transported, usually a downward movement. Water is transported upward from the roots in the xylem tissue. The growth of woody plants and herbaceous plants is essentially the same, he said. At the close of his talk, Dr. Deep answered numerous questions from the audience.

Coming Features

The next meeting in the series of six will take place December 15, also at the Portland Wholesale Nursery Co. Dr. Deep will again be the speaker, and his topic will be "Plant Diseases," dealing with the basic differences between virus, fungus and bacterial diseases and their affect on plants.

January 19, Don Martel, head of landscape architecture, O. S. C., will discuss "Naming of Plants," telling what scientific names of plants mean and why they are used.

February 16, "Soils As a Medium for Plant Growth and Basic Ferti-



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March 15, the subject will be "Insect Pests," the speaker being Knud Swenson, professor of entomology, and R. W. Every, extension entomologist. How insects feed and reproduce and factors affecting their control will be told.

April 19, "Nematodes, Symphylids and Fumigants" will be the topic covered by Harold Jensen, nema-tologist, and H. E. Morrison, entomologist. They will tell what these two primary soil pests are and how important they can be in nursery

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OPEN HOUSE AT VALLEJO

Cottage Gardens, Vallejo, Calif., again held a 3-day open house in September, for which numerous improvements in the establishment were completed. Especially notable were paving of all the aisles and display areas in the colorful 2-acre nursery and a considerable expansion of the gift shop. Parking areas had also been expanded and paved. Bulk products, such as fertilizers, peat moss and planting mixes, were given an accessible area where they could be easily inspected and moved.

Hollis M. Gray and his wife, Dorene, proprietors, also arranged for a staff of leading horticulturists, landscaping consultants and plant clinic specialists to assist visitors. Demonstrations of equipment were featured, and numerous prizes were given.

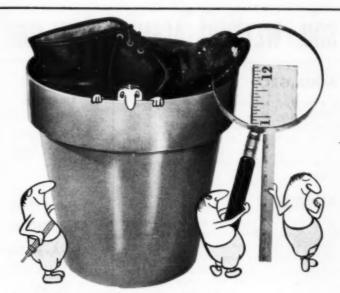
Two new members have been added to the nursery staff, both of whom received university training in horticulture and landscaping. One of the purposes of the open house, according to Mr. Gray, was to acquaint the local residents with the high quality of stock that is to be found in a pinto tag nursery such as the Cottage Gardens.

Mr. Gray is one of the two directors representing the Central chapter in the California Association of Nurserymen.

CALIFORNIA NOTES

The Ferry-Morse Seed Co. announced recently that it will move its headquarters, which have been at Detroit, Mich., for 103 years, to California. The new headquarters will be at the site of the firm's Pacific coast offices at Mountain View, about 40 miles south of San Francisco. The new offices will require a 50,000 square foot addition to the present facilities, as well as additional warehouse space of almost 200,000 square feet.

The Green Giant Nursery, 950 El Camino Real, Millbrae, is owned by a partnership composed of Donald and John Brown and Joseph Welsh. In charge of the nursery is Alex McOmie who has had over 25 years' experience in ornamental nurseries in the bay area. The nursery and its facilities, including parking for 60 cars, occupy two acres about a half mile north of the main corners of the town of Millbrae. There is a 30x120-foot concrete block and wood building for housing garden supplies and home gardeners needs and a 60x120-foot aluminum



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California ornamental retail nurserymen, plagued by the driest September and October on record and the warmest as well as the driest November, hope home gardening activities will get under way this fall with the predicted wet and cold December.

On the coast side of San Mateo county, the board of supervisors has zoned 8,600 acres as greenbelt. This was done at the request of the wholesale nurserymen and farmers in that southern section of the county, who want the land left in an agricultural belt rather than subdivided for residential or light industrial purposes.

A horticultural research team at the University of California, Los Angeles, reports that symptoms produced by a virus in camellias are relieved by an application of iron chelate. The symptoms are a yellow splotching and spotting of the leaves and a white mottling of the flowers. Addition to the soil immediately surrounding the diseased plants of relatively small amounts of iron chelate compound removed all traces of the symptoms for a period of six to 12 months. Although the symptoms disappeared following the treatment, the virus remained in the plant and was still capable of infecting other plants. New growth was similar to that produced by virus-free plants, but when the iron supply ran out the symptoms returned.

Workers at the University of California have found that mildew on roses and tuberous-rooted begonias can be effectively controlled with the use of a new fungicide, Phaltan. The material seems to be harmless to the W. B. B.

HOLIDAY TREE KIT

The Oregon Beauty Christmas Tree Co., Grants Pass, Ore., has started a new project. The firm is selling a do-it-yourself packaged Christmas tree of fresh Oregon fir which the buyer assembles at home. The Oregon Beauty Christmas tree is the brain child of Dietz Newland, who has patents pending on it. Mr. Newland is president of the new company, in which eight Grants Pass businessmen are principals. Production of tree trunks for the Oregon business has been under way for several months in leased warehouse quarters at Grants Pass. These trunks

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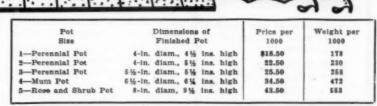
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HOLLY IN THE LANDSCAPE

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family concerning the requirements of the living area. Various families will have different needs, or their attitudes toward gardens will differ. A designer must consider all these factors.

In a new home, the time to start planning the outdoor living area landscaping is before the house is constructed. Unfortunately, many homeowners give little thought to landscaping until after the house is built. It is often too late then to relate the indoor living area adequately to the grounds.

All the parts of the living area should blend together to form a pleasing picture that meets the landscape principles of unity, variety, harmony, balance and proportion. A discussion of these principles will not be carried on here, because these

aspects can be studied in several of the available books on landscape design.

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Living Area Requirements

In developing the over-all design, one must keep in mind some of the requirements of the outdoor living area. Enclosure, year-round interest, enframement, accent and creating a livable area will be discussed.

Living areas or small garden areas need to be enclosed to provide privacy. Various hollies are suitable for screening or enclosing and may be developed as hedges or border plantings. These border plantings may be made up of shrubs or may consist of a combination of trees and shrubs. Trees are often needed in the border planting to give scale to the over-all development.

However, what type of plants to select will depend on many factors. A set of specifications must be pre-

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pared for each tree and shrub mass on the plan. These specifications include height, width, shape, texture and specific characteristics desired, as year-round foliage or fruit. Once the specifications have been determined, it is much easier for one to refer to plant lists and to select plants that will fulfill the specifications.

Most of the hollies respond well to pruning and shearing. In habit they are compact and dense, which makes them fine for hedge plants. If a dense medium or tall hedge is desired, Ilex opaca, Ilex cornuta, Ilex aquifolium and Ilex vomitoria are good choices.

Another way to have enclosure without having a clipped hedge is to use hollies in combination with other plants to form a background planting. A border of this type might incorporate hollies alone, with low, medium and tall forms, such as Ilex crenata helleri, followed by groupings of Ilex crenata and Ilex cornuta and finally utilizing for the taller masses one or two of the tree forms available. Since this combination would be predominantly green except for the color furnished by the fruiting forms, other plants could be massed in front of the border. Bulbs; chrysanthemums; small flowering shrubs such as pieris, mahonias and azaleas, or dogwoods would be examples of plants to use for mass color effects. One should select plants that provide interest at different periods.

Year-Round Interest

Living areas need to have yearround interest, since so many are visible from inside the house. Hollies are especially important for providing color in late fall or winter with their fruit. Snow on a holly tree makes another beautiful picture. One of the varieties of Ilex opaca or aquifolium would be suitable. Shrub forms of hollies with attractive mass displays of fruit also contribute to the winter picture.

Hollies provide a deep, rich green color 12 months a year and are ideal plants to serve as a background for other plants with interesting bark, flowers or fruit. Year-round interest may also be created by adding architectural features such as steps, gates, fences or sculptured pieces, provided these features fit into the over-all de-

sign pattern.

Too many living areas make it possible to see the complete development in one glance from the terrace. A pair of specimen hollies can be spaced far enough apart in the yard to hide a portion of the development. This helps to develop a hidden area that often creates interest on the part of the viewer, leading him to wander

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down to view it. Hollies are especially effective for this type of development if the branches are allowed to be full at the base of the trunk. Spaciousness will be suggested if hollies with a bold texture are used at the opening and hollies with a finer texture are planted in the recessed

Border Enframement Needed

A perennial border in the living area often needs to be enframed and given a suitable background. Hollies, because of their attractive foliage, are especially good. The front of the perennial border can be strengthened by the use of edging plants. Ideal for this purpose are some of the horticultural varieties derived from Ilex crenata, such as helleri, Kingsville and Kingsville Green Cushion.

Hollies are effective as an accent at the garden gate, pool, beginning of a path, in the rock garden or at the top or bottom of the steps separating one level from another in the living area. What plants to select will de-

pend on scale.

Some living areas lack interest and sparkle. Properly placed and selected garden furniture on the terrace or on the lawn helps to make the area look inviting and livable. Dwarfed or miniature hollies planted in containers or ornamental redwood boxes on the terrace add interest if properly blended into the over-all design picture. They also provide conversation pieces.

Garden lighting is becoming popular as a means of making the living area more usable after dark and extending the period that gardens may be enjoyed. One of the effective ways to use outdoor lighting is to highlight a specimen tree that is in the outdoor living area or is visible from one of the windows in the living area of the house. A specimen form of Ilex opaca or Ilex aquifolium would be ideal for use as a focal point.

Suitable in Foundation Planting

In many areas, broad-leaved evergreens are being emphasized over conifers in plantings around the foundations of homes and public buildings. Let us first consider home landscaping.

There are several different hollies that are suitable for foundation planting. These hollies may be used alone or in combination with other plants. What plants to select or how to arrange them in the foundation plantings often puzzles homeowners. It is important to keep in mind that the basic purpose of foundation plantings is to help create an overall pleasing composition. One should

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think first in terms of tree and should masses and how they may be blended together into a composition that is pleasing.

When the planting arrangement is being considered, one should take time to visualize how large these trees and shrubs should be in the years to come. If one knows ahead of time that for the best landscape effect the plantings at the corners should be about five feet tall, one should select a plant that normally grows about that height or be prepared to start pruning as the plant approaches the preferred height.

In creating this picture, one may well seek to accent the doorway, soften the lines of the house and tie the various plant groups together as well as provide shade, framing and a suitable background. Too many vertical forms and different types of plants should be avoided. The failure to understand how or when to prune is often responsible for the poor condition of foundation plantings. For example, one often sees the beautiful Chinese holly pruned so that the top resembles a ball or an egg-shaped form. Severe pruning also cuts down on the potential fruit display.

The horticultural varieties, Ilex crenata and the slower-growing forms of Ilex cornuta and Ilex vomitoria are valuable as foundation plantings if handled properly. When low ground covers are needed to tie the taller grasses together, the lowgrowing hollies are excellent. One should select the low-spreading or compact forms such as Ilex crenata helleri or the rotunda variety of Ilex cornuta. Specimen tree forms of hollies may often be used in the foundation plantings when a tall mass is needed for framing or breaking harsh vertical lines.

Uses Around Public Buildings

Around churches, schools, office buildings or industrial buildings, mass plantings are often needed. Shrub forms of hollies lend themselves well to such group plantings. Tree forms of holly may be combined with these mass plantings where height or accent is needed.

Away from the building, hollies are excellent for screening parking areas or border planting. The tree forms make ideal specimen plants for large lawn areas. Hollies planted in groups help to create a beautiful foreground for public buildings.

This plant group is important to landscape designers of large public areas such as parks or college campuses because it includes many varieties that are especially attractive during the winter season. Many parks are open throughout the year and

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need to be attractive at all times. Hollies, with their deep rich green foliage and display of fruit, are an ideal plant group for creating winter beauty. College grounds also need to be attractive in the winter months. In addition, hollies may be used for many other purposes in the landscaping of parks and institutional grounds. They are suitable for hedges, screening, accent, windbreaks and for providing mass displays of beauty.

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Flowering trees (crab apple, plum, cherry, etc.): 5 to 6 feet.

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For well-established plant markets and in popular kinds of plants, two sizes are usually purchased. It is best if these are two sizes apart; for example, offer a 12 to 15-inch grade and an 18 to 24-inch grade, or a 15 to 18-inch and a 2 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ -foot grade, but not a 12 to 15-inch and a 15 to 18-inch.

The reason for this is that justification for the difference in price is readily apparent in the eyes of even the most inexperienced customer. Therefore sales personnel do not have to waste time demonstrating the differences in grades and can concentrate on describing the special characteristics of the various varieties offered.

Large Specimens Valuable

It is also valuable to stock a few really large specimens of popular kinds, especially if the plant market is run in conjunction with a growing nursery. This builds occasional handsome individual sales and makes it possible for the sales personnel to demonstrate easily how the smaller specimens will develop.

Psychologically, the big price tag that should be attached to these mature plants makes the prices asked for smaller specimens seem more favorable. The isolated plant market must continually face the problem of attracting people to the premises



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if there are to be any sales at all. Large specimen shrubs or flowering trees prominently displayed in full bloom act as traffic stoppers and constantly present the opportunity for substantial sales as well.

Varieties

The plant market cannot hope to offer simultaneously all the vast array of horticultural varieties available throughout the trade. A sensible general rule is to offer the best well-known variety of each type; for example, only one kind of broad upright yew, but in two sizes, as Hicks or Hatfield yew, but not both, or Vanicek or Bristol Ruby weigela, but not both.

The suggestions following are designed for the area between and around New York and Philadelphia and naturally do not apply in full to other locations.

Evergreens, both coniferous and broad-leaved, are the backbone of the plant market's stock-in-trade. Proved and reliable sellers are yews, spreading junipers, upright arborvitae (especially for hedges), the several Japanese hollies, azaleas, Pieris japonica, mountain laurel, some rhododendrons and hemlocks.

There are many beginner customers with definite budgetary limitations who want to start with less expensive evergreens of easy culture. For these clients, such varieties as the various American and Oriental arborvitaes, the cypresses (chamaecyparis) spruces and pines will offer a lot of plant for a reasonable price.

Many plant market operations are pointlessly concentrated on evergreens, and the colorful flowering shrubs are overlooked to considerable disadvantage. To begin with, they offer the opportunity for a generous markup. To the public (and, one must admit, to the trade as well) a big plant equals big money. So a large B&B forsythia or weigela in full bloom, though inexpensive to buy, can be sold for a fine price to the satisfaction of all concerned.

Groupings of moderate-size container shrubs make splashes of color that attract the eye and build sales. Most nurserymen think only of privet and barberry for hedges and neglect the wonderful informal hedge possibilities which exist in Spiraea vanhoutte, forsythia, Deutzia Pride of Rochester and others.

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The red-fruited viburnums are another valuable group, especially dilatatum and setigerum, and so are the red-fruited cotoneasters, especially horizontalis and praecox. Long after earlier fruiters have lost their appeal, the glossy red berries of the winterberry, Ilex verticillata, remain firm and brilliant.

The small flowering trees offer considerable sales possibilities because there is room for several in even the smallest yard. Again, the rule should be to select the best of each type in planning what to offer in the market.

In crab apples, Hopa, floribunda and Katherine are indispensible. In cherries, Kwanzan and subhirtella pendula are the first to be carried, and of course pink and white dogwood are staples. Prunus Thundercloud, Magnolia soulangeana and the tree form of Crataegus phaenopyrum (cordata) are the best of their respective classes.

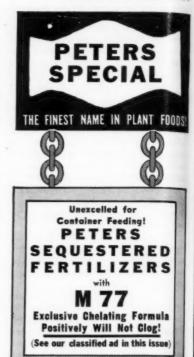
Although their flowers are not a primary consideration, Sorbus aucuparia is a regular seller for its fall fruit and birch for its white bark. All of these trees have proved themselves under plant market conditions.

When the speculative builder has finished with a tract of land it looks as though what used to be termed "the Great American Desert" has abruptly moved east! The seemingly endless repetition of this situation virtually guarantees a steady demand for shade trees.

Show Specimens

Experience has shown that the smaller grades are best handled reestablished in baskets of soil or large containers. If the firm also delivers and plants stock, a few large B&B specimens predug for display purposes make an impressive combination when placed among evergreens or small shrubs and account for some large individual sales on occasion.

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How Much To Buy

How much to buy is a really difficult question on which to generalize, because, of course, the amount purchased is dependent upon how well the plant market has become established and the volume of business it is doing. The following observations are intended for the newcomer to the plant market field.

It is common experience that the new operator buys too many varieties of plants during his first year of operation. Often he has read many books on plant material and has become too enthusiastic about a wide list of varieties for the good of the business. Until a considerable list of customers and a good working capital have been built up, the most profitable plan is to stick to the best few of each plant class as explained earlier.

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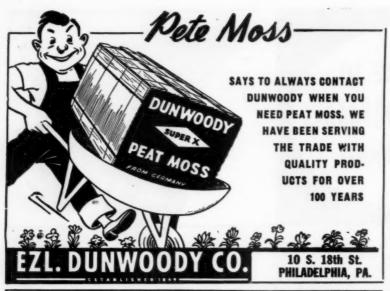
played to create an appreciable show and give the customers the satisfaction of shopping — of selecting his own special plant from among many. Conversely, there is no point in displaying many more plants than will be sold, with the result that capital must be tied up unprofitably in holding them over until the next selling season.

If a plant is to be carried at all, except for large specimens, at least 10 of a grade should be stocked. Unless the volume of business is large,

no more than 50 of a grade should be on hand. These limits of course do not apply to ground covers, bedding plants, vegetable plants, geraniums, hedge plants and similar types, which are normally sold in considerable volume.

Also, there are certain classes of colorful flowering plants, such as chrysanthemums and azaleas, that are powerful attracters because of the big splashes of color they create in mass display. A display of 100 small azaleas will sell many; a dis-

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How To Buy

Here are some considerations that greatly enhance a customer's relationship with his wholesale supplier. Some of them are intangibles, to be sure, but they add up to the total reputation your firm holds in the trade. There is no question that the firms with the best reputation enjoy advantages not available to those that are slipshod and careless in their trade relations.

Be professional — order plants by their proper names, including botanical names, to avoid possible confusion. Order and correspond on business letterheads. Reputable wholesale firms make a real effort to restrict their price lists and sales to

the trade.

An order sent in on unmarked stationery or a postcard has to be checked against some authoritative list to determine whether the prospective purchaser is really a nurseryman or dealer. Even if this latter case appears to be true, this purchaser does not look like a well-established or financially substantial one.

Order bare-root shrubs or small trees in units of 10 whenever possible; this saves untold work wherever this common unit of bundling is employed; and every movement counts during the busy season. Order by the American Association of Nurserymen grade designations, which most suppliers use: 2 to 3-foot or 3 to 4-foot shrubs. Do not order 3-foot shrubs, as this poses the inevitable question, "which grade does he mean?" and often entails extra correspondence.

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Propagating Ghent and Mollis Azaleas

By Sylvester G. March

While the so-called evergreen azaleas are among the most popular landscape plants in America today, there are two groups of deciduous azaleas, the Ghent and mollis, that are seldom planted and are certainly worthy of a place in the landscape plan. True, they cannot be used in the same manner as the evergreen types, but they are nevertheless valuable because of their unique color range, large flower size and occasional fragrance.

Quite frequently these two groups are lumped together under the term Dutch azaleas. This is unfortunate, since there are a number of differences between the two groups. The Ghent azaleas were developed in the 1820's in Belgium and England. Used in the crosses which produced the Ghents were some native American azaleas, namely Rhododendron calendulaceum, nudiflorum and viscosum; R. flavum from the Caucasus, and R. molle from China.

The mollis azaleas were developed in Belgium and Holland some 50 years after the Ghents. R. molle from China and R. japonicum from Japan were used in the breeding. Many of the mollis azaleas, though, are simply selections from japonicum. Descriptions of these parent species may help to give a better understanding of their offspring.

Parents' Characteristics

R. molle, from China, bears heavy clusters of golden yellow flowers, each three and one-half inches across, in April and May before the foliage appears. It is hardy to zone 8. Flowers of R. japonicum, from

Japan, are orange red to scarlet, two to three inches across, and are borne in 6 to 12-flowered clusters. The plant flowers in April to June before leaves appear. It is hardy to zone 7.

R. flavum, or the Pontic azalea, is native to the Caucasus and is also hardy to zone 7. Its fragrant, 2-inch flowers are yellow, appearing in 10 to 12-flowered clusters in May before the leaves.

R. calendulaceum, the flame azalea, is found growing from Pennsylvania to Georgia and Kentucky. The 2-inch flowers are orange yellow

An addresspresented by Sylvester G. March, propagator, United States National Arboretum, Washington, D. C., at the Virginia nurserymen's short course held at Fairfax, Va., earlier this year.

to scarlet orange, with a blotch on the upper lobe. These are produced in clusters of five to seven, in May and June along with or shortly after the leaves. This species is hardy to

R. nudiflorum, hardy to zone 4, is found growing from Massachusetts to North Carolina. The pink to nearwhite flowers are one and one-half inches across. They appear in April and May before the leaves, six to 12 to a cluster, and have a sweet but not spicy scent.

R. viscosum, or the white swamp honeysuckle, is found growing from Maine to South Carolina. Its fragrant flowers are white, tinged rose, one and one-half to two inches across and are borne in 4 to 9-flowered clusters, which appear in June and July after the leaves. It is hardy to

Hybrids Retain Hardiness

The Ghents, because of the hardiness contributed by viscosum and

nudiflorum, are extremely cold toler. ant, withstanding temperatures of 15 to 20 degrees below zero. The mollis group, although not so hardy as the Ghents, will take temperatures of 5 to 10 degrees below zero.

Like their parents, molle and japonicum, the mollis varieties flower before coming into leaf. In Washington, mollis azaleas usually flower the latter part of April. The Ghents usually flower in early May, while, or after, coming into leaf.

The Ghents, because of their varied parentage, have a wide color range-from light yellow to violet red—frequently flushed or shaded with a second color. The mollis forms tend toward shades of yellow, orange and red, with occasional white.

The most outstanding characteristic of the mollis azalea is the large size of the individual flower-up to three inches across-and the great number of flowers in a cluster, often giving the appearance of a rhodo-dendron. Two characteristics pe-



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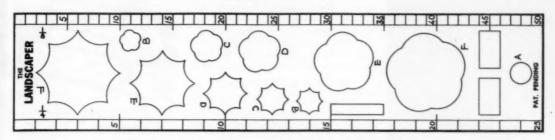
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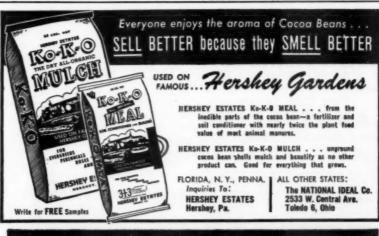
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Recommended Equipment

We have found the following to be the most satisfactory equipment for use in the rooting of these azaleas: Watco misting system, set for six seconds on and three minutes off from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m. (turns off entirely from 8 p.m. to 6 a.m.); Fogmist nozzle No. 550A, spaced on 3foot centers for a cutting bench three feet wide, and General Electric heating cable, set to maintain a bench temperature of 70 to 75 degrees Fahrenheit.

The best time to take cuttings is while new growth is still green to the base and has just begun to harden. This is usually from about the last week in May to the first week in June in the Washington area. The ideal size of the cutting is four to six inches, but, in some varieties with less vigorous growing characteristics, cuttings may be somewhat smaller.

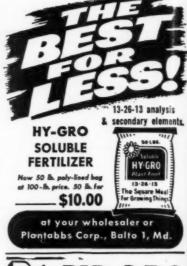
We collect all cuttings at one time and store them in polyethylene bags at a temperature of 40 degrees until all cuttings have been collected and we are ready to prepare them for insertion in the rooting medium. In preparing the cutting we remove the foliage from the lower third of the cutting and make a clean, straight cut with a sharp knife.

Rooting Agent and Medium

The rooting agent we found most satisfactory was Hormodin No. 3. The cutting is inserted dry into the hormone to a depth of three quarters of an inch, the excess powder being tapped off. As a rooting medium, fibrous German peat (screened through a 1/4-inch wire mesh) and clean, sharp sand in the ratio of two parts peat to one part sand, by volume, does well.

Cuttings should be inserted in the medium to a depth of one and onehalf inches and firmed by watering in. They should be spaced so that there is only slight overlapping of the leaves in and between the rows. We have found that 11/2-inch lath slats with 21/4-inch spacing in 4-foot sections are most satisfactory for providing the necessary shade.

The following were found to have no influence on rooting: Artificial lights, formation of the terminal bud at the time cutting was taken, position on plant from which cutting was



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At the end of six weeks the cuttings are well rooted and ready for potting. Cuttings with a root system insufficient to maintain them are discarded. The cuttings are potted in 4-inch pots in a mixture of equal parts loam, sand, leaf mold and peat. It is advisible to shade the plants and to syringe them frequently the first week to I0 days in order to acclimate them to a less humid atmosphere.

Problem No. 2: Overwintering

The second problem, and the one that has given us the greater amount of difficulty, has been getting the rooted cuttings through the first winter and into growth the following spring. The cuttings tend to become dormant after rooting and to die by the following spring. It was our be-lief that if we could get the plants into growth immediately after rooting they would come through the winter and break normally in the

To date the most satisfactory method of doing this is to place the rooted cuttings under lights. We use 100-watt bulbs with reflectors, spaced three feet apart, two and onehalf feet above the plants in a bench 4 feet wide. The lights are controlled by a General Electric time clock set to go on at 8 p. m. and off at 6 a. m. This amount of light will induce shoot growth.

The plants are kept under lights from the time of potting-usually about the third week in July-until the first week in September, at which time all lights are discontinued and the plants hardened off. The plants may be overwintered in a coldframe or in an unheated greenhouse.

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South Dakotans Gather for College Field Day

By Jesse M. Rawson

Separate afternoon sessions for nurserymen and florists assured each group time for discussion of its own problems at the fifth annual field day for florists and nurserymen held October 26 on the campus of South Dakota State College, College Station.

The nurserymen gathered in the faculty lounge of the Student Union building, and the meeting was called to order by Don Johnson, Johnson Landscape Nursery, Sioux Falls, president of the South Dakota Association of Nurserymen. After the showing of a film on home landscaping, Ray Clark, state nursery inspector, discussed the need for the state nursery inspection service and the necessity of doing work on barberry eradication.

Regulations Suggested

He also suggested that an attempt be made to adopt regulations under the framework of the present law to set up specific requirements for handling and storing nursery stock for sale. Adjoining states recently did this, he stated, and it is time for South Dakota to consider similar controls. Verne Eberlein suggested that a code of ethics for state nurserymen be formulated. The matter was referred to the executive committee after discussion.

President Johnson brought up the matter of a proposed list of hardy materials for South Dakota. The decision was made to appoint a number of nurserymen to work with the state nursery inspector and the horticulture department at South Dakota State College in preparing such a list. Motion was made and carried that the S. D. A. N. meet again in February, the date and place to be decided by the president.

Earlier in the day, the joint morning session was opened with a panel discussion entitled "Growing Together," with a nurseryman, a garden club member, a florist, an educator and an extension worker as panelists.

President Don Johnson of the S. D. A. N. emphasized the need to get more plants into the hands of more persons. Trade members can do this by continuing to bring before the public, the state legislators and others the important values to be



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gained by using more plants and flowers in South Dakota. While the state is one of the less developed in the nation, he pointed out landscaping has increased greatly in the past few years.

Give Gardeners' View

Mrs. Leo Monteith, Brookings, speaking for the garden club members, asked for newer plants of tested hardiness and better quality and correctly named varieties. Gardeners would prefer to obtain these nearer home if possible. She also suggested that a survey be made to determine what flowers and plants grow best in the various areas of the state.

E. C. Thomsen represented the florists, stressing the need to educate the youth of the state in the use of flowers. Prof. S. A. McCrory, head of the department of horticulture and forestry, commented on the role of the state college in helping South Dakota commercial growers, and Dean Martin, extension specialist in horticulture, outlined the function of the extension service, advising the nurserymen and florists to become better acquainted with their county extension agent.

After a midmorning coffee break, D. B. Johnstone, garden seed department, Northrup, King & Co., spoke to the group about the trial grounds near Minneapolis, Minn., which are under his supervision.

He pointed to a number of trends in American gardening. More sophistication is apparent in the use of plants and flowers, although in most areas it does not equal that found in European countries. Bold masses of pure colors are replacing mixes; more white and more foliage plants are being used, and there is more demand for dwarfer, more compact plants.

Hybridization has led to more uniform and more floriferous strains in many new colors. However, hybrids usually revert rapidly to less desirable types; so home saving of seeds is impractical. This gives the bedding plant grower the opportunity to sell new hybrid plants each spring. A series of slides of the choice newer species and varieties of spring bedding plants was shown and discussed.

The last speaker before lunch was Vincent Bailey, J. V. Bailey Nurseries, St. Paul, Minn., vice-president of the American Association of Nurserymen. Speaking on the subject, "Your Trade Association," he stated that the benefits of group action are rather obvious but all too often are taken for granted.

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The information shared informally in personal contacts made at meetings can also be highly beneficial. Nurserymen must strive constantly to improve their product and their workmanship, he asserted, and an active South Dakota association will help each nurseryman in the state to operate his business in a more efficient and profitable manner.

After a luncheon in the Union ballroom, the separate afternoon sessions were held, as mentioned earlier in this report. The florists' program was conducted by Dr. Jesse M. Rawson, associate horticulturist at the state college, who discussed soil testing as well as the work done to date on grades and standards and its possible application to South Dakota. The florists' group concluded its afternoon by touring the college greenhouses and viewing the work in progress.

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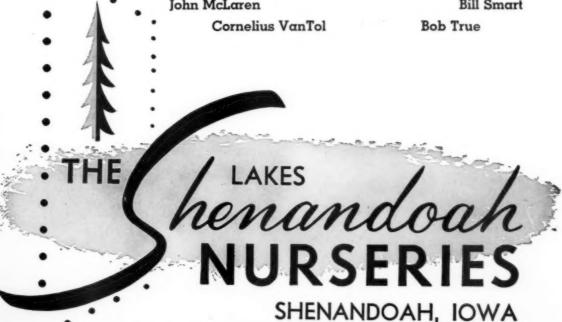
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